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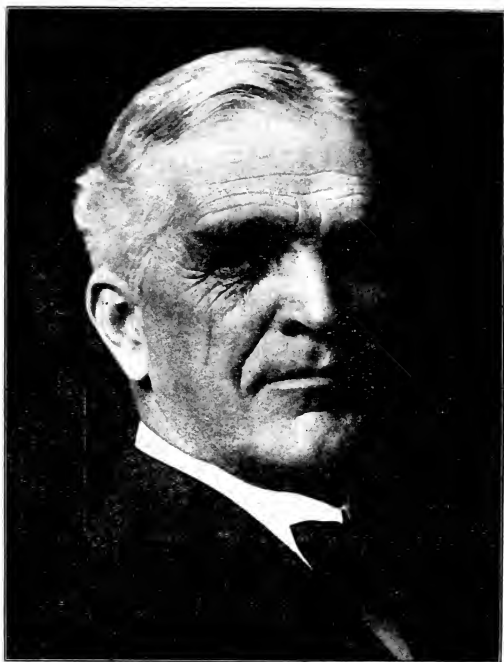
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159	"	W. M. Hollopeter.	213	"	Frank S. Burns.	267	"	F. S. Hickman.
160	"	F. A. Hall.	214	"	L. G. Carnes.	268	"	C. A. Byrt.
161	"	H. L. Liddle.	215	1907	J. S. Newcombe.	269	"	E. J. Wickersham.
162	"	A. H. Hirsch.	216	"	E. C. Fisher.	270	"	R. M. Sands.
163	"	V. B. Hargitt.	217	"	B. E. Jones.	271	"	F. E. Fribley.
164	1902	P. Polhemus.	218	"	E. S. Riley.	272	"	J. F. Edwards.
165	"	B. E. Parker.	219	"	C. A. Modlin.	273	"	K. R. Thompson.
166	"	C. H. Smith.	220	"	J. C. Lawburgh.	274	"	J. O. Hochstedler.
167	"	J. J. Fischer.	221	"	G. E. Garrison.	275	"	L. F. Ulmer.
168	1903	A. H. Backus.	222	"	A. D. Burkett.	276	"	F. A. Shipley.
169	"	T. M. Hill.	223	"	O. B. Young.	277	1912	F. H. Cremean.
170	"	P. H. Walter.	224	"	W. S. Hartley.	278	"	C. W. Montgomery.
171	"	W. E. Hamilton.	225	1908	R. W. Stoakes.	279	"	J. H. Richardson.
172	"	S. L. Cates.	226	"	D. A. J. Brown.	280	"	E. A. Hartman.
173	"	F. B. Fisher.	227	"	W. E. Pittenger.	281	"	F. A. Wimer.
174	1904	G. W. Bailor.	228	"	A. Singer.	282	"	A. C. Wischmeier.
175	"	J. C. Graham.	229	"	O. T. Martin.	283	"	E. D. Immler.
176	"	W. M. Amos.	230	"	W. E. McPheeters	284	1913	E. H. Kennedy.
177	"	W. C. Asay.	231	"	J. O. Powell.	285	"	C. E. Bash.
178	"	G. W. Martin.	232	"	J. R. Stelle.	286	"	D. C. Beatty.
179	"	J. C. Woodruff.	233	1909	L. Myers.	287	"	W. A. Huffman.
180	"	J. W. Zerbe.	234	"	W. B. Hardy.	288	"	R. H. Wehrley.
181	"	H. E. McFarlane.	235	"	E. E. De Witt.	289	"	E. Leese.
182	"	G. E. Hughes.	236	"	C. G. Yeomans.	290	"	M. E. Shattuck.
183	"	J. K. Wyant.	237	"	W. H. Harrison.	291	"	C. W. Chadwick.
184	1905	R. Burns.	238	"	W. W. Wiant.	292	1914	V. L. Clear.
185	"	C. B. Dougherty.	239	"	H. A. Homer.	293	"	T. S. Haddock.
186	"	F. P. Johnson.	240	"	O. B. Morris.	294	"	W. F. Buckner.
187	"	H. Boase.	241	"	E. Dickson.	295	"	A. F. White.
188	"	C. B. Sweeney.	242	"	L. W. Kemper.	296	"	J. W. Potter.
189	"	B. Kendall.	243	"	R. A. Morrison.			

PROBATIONERS.

NO.	ENT'D MIN.	MEMBERS.	NO.	ENT'D MIN.	MEMBERS.	NO.	ENT'D MIN.	MEMBERS.
1	1909	A. H. Kenna.	10	1915	L. W. Stone.	19	1916	W. H. Menaugh.
2	1910	C. W. Jeffras.	11	"	R. H. Stone.	20	"	J. A. Morrison.
3	1911	F. S. Young.	12	"	R. R. Detweiler.	21	"	E. Ant'le.
4	1913	I. S. Corn.	13	"	W. Roahrig.	22	"	R. S. Jones.
5	1914	M. M. Thornburg.	14	"	F. W. Chapman.	23	"	R. I. Stone.
6	"	J. M. Jordan.	15	"	C. S. Miller.	24	"	W. C. Howard.
7	"	F. J. Robins.	16	"	J. S. Phillips.	25	"	B. H. Franklin.
8	"	L. O. Winslow.	17	"	J. Pfeiffer.	26	"	W. O. Power.
9	1915	A. K. Love.	18	1916	G. E. Whitten.			

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NORTH INDIANA ANNUAL CONFERENCE, METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

FIRST DAY.

Fort Wayne, Indiana, Wednesday, March 29, 1916.

In pursuance of the plan of the Board of Bishops, the North Indiana Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church convened in its seventy-third session in Wayne Street Methodist Episcopal Church, in the city of Fort Wayne, Indiana, Bishop William Fraser McDowell, D.D., LL.D., presiding.

The Bishop called the Conference to order at 8:30 A. M., and announced Hymn No. 560,

“And are we yet alive,”

after the singing of which, he, with the assistance of the District Superintendents, conducted the sacrament of the Lord's Supper.

Roll Call.—At the request of the Bishop, the Secretary of the last session called the roll, to which the following responded:

W. Peck, W. S. Stewart, G. B. Work, R. C. Jones, R. H. Smith, J. B. Cook, T. C. Neal, J. K. Walts, J. W. Cain, J. A. Ruley, W. D. Parr, L. J. Naftzger, T. M. Guild, C. E. Line, C. U. Wade, J. E. Williams, F. M. Stone, J. W. Bowen, S. Light, M. S. Marble, M. R. Peirce, J. A. Beatty, L. M. Krider, A. L. Lamport, B. S. Holloper, W. E. Murray, S. Powell, J. O. Bills, A. S. Preston, A. W. Lowther, C. M. Holloper, D. V. Williams, F. M. Lacy, D. H. Guild, J. P. Chamness, U. S. A. Bridge, A. G. Neal, J. H. McNary, J. L. Gillard, J. C. White, A. A. Turner, J. F. Radcliffe, J. J. Fred, J. A. Patterson, E. H. Taylor, C. Tinkham, M. C. Pittenger, A. L. Weaver, J. W. Walters, J. Phillips, H. Lacy, D. S. Jones, D. T. Stephenson, J. T. Bean, R. L. Semans, W. B. Freeland, T. J. Johnson,

W. F. Smith, S. F. Harter, W. A. Griest, R. J. Wade, C. C. Travis, E. L. Jones, J. L. Murr, H. C. Harmon, E. M. Foster, A. J. Duryee, J. O. Campbell, I. R. Godwin, D. Wells, E. E. Trippier, O. A. Trabue, C. W. Shoemaker, E. Naftzger, G. R. Grose, L. P. Pfeifer, F. P. Morris, F. F. Thornburg, B. F. Hornaday, J. A. Sprague, W. T. Arnold, L. M. Edwards, J. H. Runkle, J. H. Palmer, C. M. Hobbs, E. A. Bunner, E. E. Wright, E. C. Dunn, E. E. Lutes, A. Cates, W. M. Hollopeter, F. A. Hall, P. Polhemus, B. E. Parker, C. H. Smith, J. J. Fischer, A. H. Backus, T. M. Hill, P. H. Walter, W. E. Hamilton, S. L. Cates, F. B. Fisher, J. C. Graham, W. C. Asay, J. C. Woodruff, G. E. Hughes, J. K. Wyant, R. Burns, C. B. Dougherty, H. Boase, C. B. Sweeney, B. Kendall, M. B. Graham, C. A. Hile, H. L. Overdeer, H. W. Park, C. B. Croxall, C. M. Vawter, R. C. Ballard, C. L. De Bow, P. E. Greenwalt, E. J. Maupin, W. E. Loveless, J. F. Lutey, H. E. Forbes, F. A. LeMaster, H. S. Nickerson, S. B. Stookey, G. F. Hubbartt, W. W. Sweet, J. W. Gruber, E. C. Fisher, E. S. Riley, C. A. Modlin, G. E. Garrison, A. D. Burkett, D. A. J. Brown, W. E. Pittenger, A. Singer, O. T. Martin, J. O. Powell, J. R. Stelle, L. Myers, E. E. De Witt, C. G. Yeomans, W. H. Harrison, W. W. Wiant, H. A. Homer, O. B. Morris, L. W. Kemper, R. W. Rogers, S. I. Zechiel, W. E. Hogan, R. S. Shaw, H. C. Powell, C. W. Anderson, L. Huddleston, L. G. Jacobs, W. T. Daly, E. C. Hallman, E. M. Dunbar, K. H. Carlson, B. M. Bechdolt, A. C. Hoover, C. B. Thomas, Joseph Grimes, J. F. Blocker, C. A. Cloud, C. A. Byrt, F. E. Fribley, J. F. Edwards, F. H. Cremean, C. W. Montgomery, J. H. Richardson, E. A. Hartman, A. C. Wischmeier, E. H. Kennedy, C. E. Bash, D. C. Beatty, R. H. Wehrley, E. Leese, M. E. Shattuck, C. W. Chadwick.

The following Probationers responded:

J. C. Wengatz, K. R. Thompson, J. O. Hochstedler, F. S. Young, W. F. Buckner, A. F. White, A. V. Patten, V. L. Clear, T. S. Haddock, A. K. Love, R. H. Stone, R. H. Detweiler, W. Roahrig, F. W. Chapman, J. S. Phillips.

Deceased.—At the request of the Bishop, the members of the Conference stood while the Secretary called the names of the following members deceased within the year: Francis A.

Reichelderfer, Charles E. Davis, Chauncey King, Henry Warland Bennett, William Lash, and Hugh J. Norris. After the names had been called, the Bishop led the Conference in singing,

"There's a land that is fairer than day,"

and

"Oh! how sweet it will be,"

after which he led in a very tender prayer for those who mourned and for the Conference bereaved of their comradeship.

Organization.—On motion of C. E. Line, Dorie V. Williams was re-elected Secretary, and, on his nomination, the following were elected his assistants: William A. Griest, Frank S. Hickman, and W. Earl Pittenger.

On motion of R. J. Wade, John C. White was elected Statistical Secretary, and, on his nomination, Peter H. Walter, Edward E. DeWitt, Ernest C. Hallman, Leroy W. Kemper, and James A. Sprague were elected his assistants.

On motion of C. E. Line, Davis S. Jones was re-elected Treasurer. On his nomination, Charles B. Dougherty, Silas Cates, George F. Hubbartt, Charles B. Croxall, Fremont E. Fribley, and Ephraim Leese were elected his assistants.

At this time the Bishop called the attention of the Conference to the fact that one of its members, Rev. T. C. Neal, was a composer of hymns, and invited him to a seat on the platform. The hymn, "Father eternal, Creator, Preserver," which Brother Neal had composed for this session, was then sung by the Conference.

On motion of B. S. Hollopeter, W. E. Hamilton was elected a member of the Board of Stewards in place of Frank Lacy, and A. G. Neal and J. C. Graham were also elected members of the Board to serve for a term of three years.

Triers of Appeals.—On the nomination of the Cabinet, the following were elected Triers of Appeals: C. U. Wade, L. J. Naftzger, W. D. Parr, J. C. White, W. B. Freeland. Reserves: L. M. Krider, H. C. Harmon.

Auditing Committee.—On motion, the following were constituted the Auditing Committee: E. L. Jones, G. E. Garrison, and F. H. Cremean.

Resolutions.—On motion, Leslie J. Naftzger, George R. Grose, E. L. Semans, K. H. Carlson, and W. T. Smith were elected a Committee on Resolutions.

Bar.—On motion of J. A. Beatty, the Bar of the Conference was made to include the main auditorium, but not the extension. On motion of the same, the published program was adopted as the Official Program, with such modifications as may be necessary.

Transfers.—The Bishop announced the following as transferred in: Charles Pitmann, from the Maine Conference; W. B. Hardy, North Dakota; Victor B. Hargitt, Louis F. Ulmer, Lemuel G. Carnes, Owen B. Young, George L. Conway, Ulysses S. Hartley, Indiana, and Julius Pfeiffer, a probationer in the First Year's Studies, from the same Conference.

John Jones was announced transferred to East Maine Conference.

District Conference Journals.—The following were constituted a Committee on District Conference Journals: C. B. Dougherty, C. E. White, J. C. Woodruff.

Draft.—The Bishop announced a draft from the Book Concern, amounting to \$4,759, and, on motion, the same was ordered endorsed and turned over to the Board of Stewards.

On motion, the Secretary was requested to send the greetings of this Conference to Dr. Milton Mahin, the oldest member of the same.

On motion of W. W. Martin, it was ordered that a committee of one from each district be constituted to bring in report to include the salaries of the District Superintendents and those engaged in special work, as a basis for the distribution of the Conference Claimants' funds. The following were constituted the committee: D. H. Guild, W. E. Hogan, Arthur Cates, J. A. Patterson, U. S. A. Bridge, O. B. Morris.

Order of the Day.—On motion of R. J. Wade, the consideration of Question 36 was made the order of the day for Friday, immediately after the reading of the journal.

On motion of W. D. Parr, the election of delegates to the General Conference was made the order of the day for Friday, immediately after the consideration of Question 36.

On motion of J. A. Beatty, the action of the Conference whereby those who took a retired relation were made beneficiaries of the Conference Claimants' Funds at the same session in which the relation was granted, was made to include Conference widows and children.

Sympathy.—D. H. Guild announced that on account of the recent bereavement that has come to Bishop Hartzell, he would not be able to be present at this session of the Conference, and, on his motion, the Secretary was requested to send him a message of sympathy from the Conference. Bishop McDowell led the Conference in prayer for Bishop Hartzell and also for Bishop Luccock, who was dangerously ill.

Fourteenth Question.—The Fourteenth Question, "*Was the Character of Each Preacher Examined?*" was called. The character of B. S. Hollopeter, Superintendent of Logansport District, was passed, and he reported his district. The Bishop then asked him, "Is there anything against any effective elder in your district?" and he answered that there was nothing against any of them. The following, having been passed in character, reported whether all collections had been taken and whether there had been an increase or decrease in membership and benevolent collections: G. E. Hughes, M. L. Hardingham, W. M. Amos, C. W. Chadwick, M. B. Graham, L. G. Jacobs, J. F. Radcliffe, R. W. Rogers, E. S. Riley, G. E. Garrison, LeRoy Myers, L. M. Krider, E. C. Fisher, J. W. Walters, W. B. Freeland, J. A. Sprague, Wirt Lowther, W. A. Griest, E. C. Dunn, E. H. Kennedy, F. A. Wimer, M. E. Shattuck, C. H. Smith, B. M. Bechdolt, J. F. Edwards, G. W. Bailor, W. C. Asay, W. E. McPheeters, Arthur Cates, L. J. Sheldon, H. L. Liddle, W. E. Hamilton.

The Richmond District was called, and the character of Somerville Light was passed, and he reported the district. The characters of the following effective elders in the Richmond District were passed, and they reported according to the rule: R. C. Jones, L. P. Pfeifer, E. H. Taylor, B. Kendall, P. Polhemus, L. Huddleston, S. L. Cates, J. H. Runkle, R. C. Ballard, E. C. Hallman, A. J. Duryee, M. R. Peirce, O. A. Trabue, C. B. Sweeney, C. B. Croxall, H. C. Harmon, U. S. A. Bridge, J. P. Chamness, E. A. Bunner, L. J. Naftzger, J. W. Zerbe, F. P. Morris, L. F. Ulmer.

The Wabash District was called, and the character of M. S. Marble was passed, and he reported his district. The characters of the following effective elders in Wabash District were passed, and they reported according to the rule: C. A. Modlin, J. C. Lawburg, J. T. Bean, J. J. Fred, I. R. Godwin, W. F. Smith, A. D. Burket, A. L. Weaver, C. G. Yeomans, H. A. P. Homer, B. E. Parker, David Wells, W. H. Harrison, F. A. LeMaster, O. T. Martin, J. J. Fischer, C. M. Vawter, F. M. Lacy, Roscoe S. Shaw, J. L. Gillard, J. O. Campbell, Earle Naftzger, J. S. Newcomb, O. B. Morris, G. B. Work, A. Singer.

The characters of the following in special work were passed: G. R. Grose, J. W. Cain, F. M. Stone, E. L. Jones, W. D. Parr, H. B. Gough, W. W. Sweet, F. B. Fisher, M. Swadener, P. E. Powell, E. B. Westhafer, T. M. Guild, J. W. Oborn, C. U. Wade, G. H. Myers, C. J. Everson, W. E. Pittenger, A. H. Hirsch.

Standing Committees.—The Standing Committees nominated at the last session of the Conference were read, changed, and adopted as follows:

General Qualifications—Arthur Cates, R. A. Morrison, H. L. Overdeer, C. L. DeBow, O. B. Morris, H. S. Nickerson.

Conference Relations—C. H. Smith, O. A. Trabue, J. O. Bills, W. F. Smith, F. A. Hall, W. W. Martin.

Foreign Missions—C. U. Wade, A. G. Neal, T. M. Guild, V. B. Hargitt, E. S. Riley, D. H. Guild, H. C. Harmon.

Home Missions and Church Extension—J. C. White, J. O. Campbell, J. A. Patterson, A. L. Lamport, J. J. Fred, G. W. Martin.

Education—W. B. Freeland, B. E. Parker, L. M. Edwards, C. E. White, F. P. Morris, C. H. Smith.

Sunday Schools—G. E. Garrison, D. T. Stephenson, W. M. Hollopeter, S. B. Stookey, C. A. Cloude, J. W. Zerbe.

Aggressive Evangelism—P. E. Greenwalt, R. C. Jones, F. F. Thornburg, J. L. Gillard, C. G. Yeomans, J. F. Radcliffe.

American Bible Society—C. M. Hollopeter, J. J. Fischer, J. L. Murr, E. C. Hallman, E. L. Jones, R. W. Stoakes.

Church Literature—M. Pell, J. A. Sprague, E. H. Taylor, W. M. Hollopeter, B. Kendall, J. O. Powell.

Hospital—L. J. Naftzger, S. Powell, H. W. Park, G. E. Hughes, C. H. Brown, F. H. Cremean.

Memorial Home—E. C. Dunn, F. A. LeMaster, O. T. Martin, W. H. Harrison, E. E. Trippeer, H. Lacy, L. Huddleston.

Sustentation—J. A. Sprague, E. M. Dunbar, C. B. Sweeney, J. H. Palmer, Robert Burns, O. T. Martin.

Parsonage and Furniture—J. F. Lutey, G. W. Martin, E. E. DeWitt, J. C. Valentine, E. E. Lutes, J. W. Bowen, C. M. Vawter.

Social and Moral Questions—E. Naftzger, H. L. Liddle, J. P. Chamness, W. E. Loveless, J. W. Walker, C. M. Hobbs.

Temperance—A. S. Preston, C. W. Shoemaker, T. M. Hill, M. B. Graham, R. C. Ballard, A. L. Weaver, J. T. Bean.

Woman's Work in the Church—J. W. Cain, A. Singer, W. M. Amos, F. P. Johnson, J. F. Bailey, E. A. Bunner.

Freedmen's Aid Society—L. G. Jacobs, W. E. McPheeters, M. L. Hardingham, C. A. Hile, P. H. Walter, P. Polhemus.

The Committees were called, and announcements made as to time and places of meeting.

On motion of B. S. Hollopeter, the following were appointed a Commission on Social Service: R. L. Semans, W. F. Smith, C. C. Travis, H. L. Overdeer, W. W. Martin, B. E. Parker, A. W. Lowther, D. T. Stephenson.

The long-meter doxology was sung, and the benediction was pronounced by A. S. Wooton, and the Conference stood adjourned.

SECOND DAY.

Thursday Morning, March 30, 1916.

Conference convened at 8:30, Bishop McDowell in the chair. Hymn No. 409,

“Fight the good fight with all thy might,”

and Hymn No. 410,

“Lord, speak to me that I may speak,”

were sung. The Bishop read for a Scripture lesson John 6. 22-24. He spoke of seeking those places where Christ and his disciples are, and avoiding those places where they are not. At his request, C. M. Boswell closed the devotional services with prayer. Hymn No. 249,

“Behold a stranger at the door,”

was sung.

The Secretary read the journal of yesterday's session, which was approved. He then called the roll of absentees, and the following responded: J. E. Ervin, H. A. Ewell, A. S.

Wooton, R. S. Reed, C. E. White, L. A. Sevits, J. F. Baily, S. Bilheimer, G. H. Myers, W. W. Martin, M. Pell, M. L. Hardingham, G. W. Keisling, G. F. Osburn, H. L. Liddle, G. W. Bailor, W. M. Amos, G. W. Martin, J. W. Zerbe, F. P. Johnson, C. J. Everson, M. E. Barrett, F. S. Burns, J. S. Newcomb, B. E. Jones, J. C. Lawburgh, R. W. Stoakes, H. Webster, W. E. McPheeters, E. Dickson, R. A. Morrison, J. C. Valentine, R. M. Sands, and E. D. Impler, a probationer.

On motion of the Secretary, the further calling of the roll was discontinued.

Introduction.—C. M. Boswell, one of the Corresponding Secretaries of the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension, was introduced, and spoke in the interests of that society.

Fourteenth Question.—The Fourteenth Question was resumed, and Goshen District was called. R. J. Wade, District Superintendent, was passed in character, and he reported his district. The following effective elders in that district were passed in character, and they made their reports according to the rule: R. Burns, H. W. Park, A. A. Turner, R. W. Stoakes, A. H. Backus, R. A. Morrison, J. C. White, E. Dickson, R. L. Semans, J. C. Graham, C. A. Hile, M. Pell, C. W. Shoemaker, J. W. Bowen, C. L. DeBow, G. W. Martin, L. M. Edwards, S. Powell, A. L. Lamport, W. T. Daly, W. E. Loveless, G. F. Hubbartt, C. A. Cloud, J. K. Wiant, H. Boase, F. S. Burns, S. B. Stookey, A. G. Neal, S. F. Harter, J. C. Woodruff.

Roscoe Shaw was appointed agent to solicit subscriptions for the *Methodist Review*.

F. B. Fisher was appointed solicitor for the *World Outlook*.

The Circuit Rider of Indiana Methodism.—The Bishop called the attention of the Conference to the book, *The Circuit Rider of Indiana Methodism*, by Prof. W. W. Sweet, of the Committee of Conference Historians, and W. B. Freeland presented the matter of receiving subscriptions for the volume.

Resolution.—The following resolution was introduced by M. S. Marble, and, on his motion, adopted:

WHEREAS, The apportionments of the North Indiana Conference for the support of the Conference Claimants, adjusted

in harmony with the Disciplinary standard at our last session, has increased our revenues for this sacred purpose; and,

WHEREAS, It is our fixed purpose to administer these funds in accordance with the strictest economy and in the spirit of the law of the church; therefore, be it

Resolved, First—That the Board of Stewards be and are directed to hereafter pay all annuities and claims to those who at this and succeeding sessions become claimants on these funds, quarterly in advance.

Second—That in the interval between the Annual Conference any one ceasing to become a claimant by appointment by a District Superintendent, or otherwise, further payment of his annuity shall be discontinued.

Third—That in the event of an emergency during the Conference year the officers of the Board of Stewards be and are hereby authorized, upon the advice of the District Superintendents, to make suitable allowance for such emergency from such available funds as they may have in hand.

Fourth—That the Treasurer of the Board of Stewards be required to give bond for the proper administration of these funds, the expense of such bond to be paid out of the funds and the bond itself to be approved and kept by the officers of the North Indiana Conference Corporation.

Order of the Day: Preachers' Aid Society.—The constitutional time for the meeting of the Preachers' Aid Society having arrived, the Conference adjourned and the Preachers' Aid Society was called to order by Bishop McDowell.

C. U. Wade, Secretary, made his report, which, on motion, was accepted and ordered placed on file and printed in the Minutes.

On motion, W. B. Freeland, O. A. Trabue, and W. T. Arnold were appointed a committee to nominate the officers for the coming year.

On motion of C. E. Line, the Nominating Committee was instructed to nominate the new District Superintendent of the Muncie District to be a member of the Board of Managers.

On motion, the following were constituted a Disbursing Committee to distribute the funds of the society for the work of the Board of Stewards: J. W. Cain, A. Cates, F. F. Thornburg.

J. W. Cain, for the officers and managers, read the report of the editing of the Constitution which was adopted, and the Constitution changed so as to provide for seven managers in-

stead of five. On motion of B. S. Hollopeter, the new Constitution was ordered printed in the Minutes, and 1,000 extra copies for distribution by the society.

W. B. Freeland moved that when we adjourn, we adjourn to meet at 10 A. M., Saturday, which motion carried.

J. W. Cain, General Secretary, made his report, which was adopted, and ordered printed in the Minutes, together with the list of memorial gifts to the society.

W. W. Martin, Secretary of the committee on the larger plans for the work of the society, read the committee's report, but, on motion, action upon the report was postponed until Saturday's session, and recommitted to the committee.

The society, on motion, adjourned, and the Conference reconvened.

Fourteenth Question.—The Fourteenth Question was resumed, and Muncie District was called. The character of C. E. Line, District Superintendent, was passed, and he reported his district. J. A. Patterson, on behalf of the preachers of the district, presented Dr. Line with a (silver) purse of gold, which he received with an appropriate reply and promised to give to his wife.

The following effective elders were passed in character, and they reported according to the rule: J. H. Palmer, H. E. Forbes, D. V. Williams, Eugene Allen, W. M. Hollopeter, J. A. Ruley, C. M. Hobbs, E. E. DeWitt, J. A. Patterson, W. W. Wiant, C. B. Dougherty, E. E. Trippeer, P. H. Walter, P. E. Greenwalt, F. E. Fibley, W. W. Martin, D. S. Jones, J. L. Murr, T. J. Johnson, F. A. Hall, J. E. Williams, B. E. Jones, L. A. Sevits, G. F. Osbun, C. E. White, E. E. Lutes, V. B. Hargitt.

When the name of J. A. Ruley was called, he asked for the retired relation, which request was referred to the Committee on Conference Relations.

When the name of John Jones was called, he was announced as transferred to the East Maine Conference.

When the name of Charles Pitman was called, his request to withdraw from the membership and ministry of our church was granted.

The Fort Wayne District was called, and the character of

James A. Beatty was passed, and he reported his district. F. F. Thornburg, on behalf of the preachers of that district, presented Dr. Beatty with a typewriter, which was received with a gracious word of acceptance.

The characters of the following effective elders were passed, and they reported according to the rule: H. S. Nickerson, F. F. Thornburg, W. T. Arnold, E. E. Wright, D. T. Stephenson, D. H. Guild, F. H. Cremean, Joseph Grimes, H. L. Overdeer, T. M. Hill, C. C. Travis, L. W. Kemper, C. Tinkham, J. F. Lutey, S. I. Zechiel, E. M. Foster, J. W. Gruber, D. A. J. Brown, E. J. Maupin, J. S. Phillips, C. M. Hollopeter, J. O. Powell, B. F. Hornaday, J. O. Bills, J. W. Powell, E. M. Dunbar, A. S. Preston, H. Lacy, J. C. Valentine. When the name of J. E. Coffin was called, on motion, he was permitted to withdraw from the membership and ministry of the Methodist Episcopal Church under charges.

The Bishop announced that, with the consent of the Conference, the first business of to-morrow morning will be to ask and answer Question Eight, "Who Have Been Admitted Into Full Connection?"

Committee on Memorials.—On motion of M. S. Marble, the following were constituted a committee to whom should be referred all memorials to the General Conference which shall be offered to our Conference for endorsement, the committee to recommend what our Conference action should be: L. M. Edwards, A. S. Preston, Earl Naftzger, G. R. Grose, U. S. A. Bridge.

Veterans' Day.—On motion of J. C. White, it was ordered that we observe Veterans' Day on June 25, except in those districts where other arrangements have been made.

Introductions.—The following were introduced to the Conference: W. E. McKenzie, E. W. Dunlavey, A. T. Briggs, U. G. Leazenby, W. B. Morgan, E. S. Shumaker, Oakel Hall, all members of the Northwest Indiana Conference; Virgil Thompson, of the Indiana Conference, and C. A. Kelley, of the Rock River Conference.

The long-meter doxology was sung, and the benediction was pronounced by C. A. Kelley, and Conference stood adjourned.

THIRD DAY.

Friday Morning, March 31, 1916.

The Conference met at 8:30 A. M., with Bishop McDowell in the chair. He announced Hymn No. 332,

“Thou, my everlasting portion,”

and Hymn No. 536,

“Jesus, thou Joy of loving hearts,”

which were sung.

Eighth Question—“*Who Have Been Admitted Into Full Membership?*”—was asked. The following were passed in character, reported their collections, were reported in their studies, recommended by the Committee on General Qualifications, represented by their respective District Superintendents, advanced to the Studies of the Third Year, elected to full membership, and those not ordained deacons to Deacon's Orders.

The following were elected to membership and Deacon's Orders: Valorous L. Clear, True S. Haddock, Alvin F. White, Charles W. Chadwick.

Ferdinand A. Shipley was announced transferred back to this Conference, and he was then elected to full membership and to Deacon's Orders.

The following were elected to full membership only, having been previously ordained deacon: Earl D. Imler, Jesse O. Hochstedler, William F. Buckner, Alfred V. Patten, Karl R. Thompson, J. Ira Jones, John C. Wengatz.

J. Ira Jones, having answered the questions in another Conference, was elected to full membership in his absence.

Jesse Denbo was discontinued. Charles W. Jeffras was continued on trial in the Studies of the Third Year.

Alfred H. Kenna, FitzJames Robbins, and Frank S. Young were continued on trial in the Studies of the Second Year.

Luther E. Markin was discontinued at his own request.

Guy H. Black was announced transferred to the Northwest Indiana Conference, and Alfred E. Chastain to the Indiana Conference.

The class for full admission was called forward, addressed by the Bishop, asked the Disciplinary questions, and admitted

into full membership. At the request of the Bishop, Dr. George Elliott, of the Detroit Conference, led in prayer.

W. D. Parr announced the death of James F. Morrison, a former prominent member of the Lay Electoral Conference, and, at his request, the Secretary, who was a former pastor of the deceased, was asked to send a message of sympathy to the widow.

On motion of C. E. Line, the Secretary was requested to send a message of tender sympathy to Rev. P. J. Albright, who is ill at his home in Kokomo.

Journal.—The journal of yesterday's session was read and approved.

Thirty-sixth Question.—The Thirty-sixth Question, "*Where Shall the Next Conference be Held?*" was called.

First Church, Warsaw, and First Church, Huntington, through their respective pastors, invited the Conference to meet in their cities. After First Church, Warsaw, had been represented by A. G. Neal, and First Church, Huntington, by W. F. Smith, a count vote was taken, which resulted in 105 votes for Warsaw and 123 for Huntington. On motion of A. G. Neal, the invitation from Huntington was unanimously accepted, and, on motion, a vote of thanks was tendered the church at Warsaw for its invitation.

Order of the Day.—The time having arrived for balloting for delegates to the General Conference, the Secretary read the following rules to govern the election of delegates, which, on his motion, were adopted:

- (1) Election of delegates shall be by ballot.
- (2) A majority of all votes cast shall be required to elect.
- (3) If more than the number to be elected receive the majority, then the requisite number having the highest number of votes shall be declared elected.
- (4) A ballot shall be void if it contains more or less number of names than the number of delegates to be elected on that ballot.
- (5) In voting for either of two men of the same name, the initials or given name shall be supplied, or some sufficient designation.
- (6) Three reserve delegates shall be elected, subject to the foregoing rules.

(7) Only the Official Blank Ballot furnished by the Book Concern shall be used.

M. S. Marble asked for a report of the Committee on Publication of the History of Methodism. Prof. W. W. Sweet, who has charge of the work, called the attention of the Conference to the necessity of having enlarged the sphere of the work, and the first volume was now ready for sale.

On motion of W. D. Parr, the Publishing Committee was instructed to prepare plans for financing the publication of the volumes.

The Cabinet announced the following as the tellers for the election of delegates to the General Conference: H. S. Nickerson, T. M. Hill, J. C. Graham, C. L. DeBow, E. S. Riley, C. H. Smith, F. A. Hall, E. E. Trippeer, U. S. A. Bridge, H. C. Harmon, B. E. Parker, I. R. Godwin.

The vote was taken, and the tellers retired with Earl Pittenger, one of the Assistant Secretaries, to count the ballots.

On motion of the Secretary, it was ordered that when we adjourn, we adjourn to meet at 1:30 this afternoon, in joint session with the Lay Electoral Conference. On his motion, Fred B. Fisher and Leslie J. Naftzger were constituted a committee to invite the Lay Electoral Conference to meet with us in joint session.

Representation.—E. S. Shumaker, Superintendent of Indiana Anti-Saloon League, was introduced to the Conference, and represented the work of the League.

E. C. Wareing, assistant editor of the *Western Christian Advocate*, was introduced, and spoke in the interests of that paper.

On motion of the Secretary, it was ordered that in the joint session the members of the Lay Electoral Conference be seated in the middle sections of the church.

L. M. Edwards read the following memorial relative to Church Papers and Episcopal Areas, which, on motion, was adopted:

WHEREAS, There is now a demand for a new program relative to our church papers, and the Bishops have heeded the request of the last General Conference to assign themselves certain episcopal areas for the past quadrennium:

Resolved, That the North Indiana Conference request the

General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church to enact legislation providing for one *Christian Advocate* for general circulation throughout the denomination, which shall deal with the denomination as a whole.

Resolved, also, That we request that provision be made whereby our church papers, other than this one, shall become organs for specific episcopal areas. Where the church membership within the episcopal area will justify, let there be an official paper for the single area. In other territory let the official paper be for two or more areas. Where unofficial papers already exist, in some way provide that these shall be utilized as far as possible in this program.

Resolved, also, That these official organs shall be heartily identified with our various benevolent and evangelistic programs within their circulation area.

Resolved, further, That provision for the management of all these publications shall be made so that the resident Bishop or Bishops, with the Editor and Agent of the Methodist Book Concern, shall direct the policy and the circulation, and shall be responsible for the business management of each paper.

Twenty-third Question.—The Twenty-third Question, "*Who Are the Supernumerary Preachers?*" was asked, and the following were passed in character and continued in this relation: J. Z. Barrett, G. H. Crafts, J. M. Haines, C. A. Hunt, F. J. Speckien. When the name of A. H. Hirsch was called, he was passed in character and asked to locate within one or two years.

Change of Relation.—L. A. Beeks, from Supernumerary to Retired, his character having been passed. F. P. Johnson and W. E. Murray were changed from Supernumerary to Effective.

G. W. Keisling was granted a certificate of location at his own request, his character having been passed.

When the name of L. E. Knox was called, it was announced that he had withdrawn from the ministry and membership of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

The following were changed from Effective to Retired, having been passed in character: L. A. Sevits, F. M. Lacy, M. R. Peirce, J. A. Ruley, and J. E. Williams. "Blest be the tie that binds" was sung at the conclusion of the granting of these changes in relation.

C. A. Kelley, from the Rock River Conference, representing the Board of Conference Claimants, addressed the Con-

ference in the interests of the Board, and presented the Conference with a check from the Board amounting to \$200, which was turned over to the Treasurer for the Board of Stewards.

First Ballot.—The tellers returned and reported the result of the first ballot for delegates to General Conference as follows: Whole number of votes cast, 235; defective, 8; net legal vote, 227; necessary to a choice, 114. B. S. Hollopeter received 114 votes, and was declared elected. R. J. Wade, 108; G. R. Grose, 101; S. Light, 95; J. A. Beatty, 89; W. W. Martin, 70; L. M. Edwards, 57; M. S. Marble, 54; C. E. Line, 43; C. C. Travis, 43; A. G. Neal, 38; Fred Fisher, 35; J. C. White, 35; W. D. Parr, 34; W. B. Freeland, 29; W. F. Smith, 25; G. B. Work, 24; D. H. Guild, 23; D. V. Williams, 20; U. S. A. Bridge, 18; J. A. Sprague, 15; F. M. Stone, 11; C. U. Wade, 11; F. A. Hall, C. H. Smith, and R. L. Semans, 10 each; L. M. Kridner and B. E. Parker, 9 each; H. C. Harmon and F. F. Thornburg, 8 each; W. T. Arnold, D. S. Jones, C. E. White, S. Powell, and M. L. Hardingham, 5 each; S. Cates, T. M. Guild, O. A. Trabue, 4 each; W. W. Sweet, J. F. Radcliffe, 3 each; C. L. DeBow, D. T. Stephenson, Charles Tinkham, J. H. Runkle, J. C. Graham, G. H. Myers, C. J. Everson, B. Hornaday, R. C. Jones, J. O. Powell, 2 each; the following received 1 each—P. E. Greenwalt, W. E. Loveless, H. E. Forbes, G. W. Bailor, H. Lacy, E. C. Dunn, E. Dickson, M. B. Graham, D. Wells, J. P. Chamness, L. A. Sevits, C. A. Hile, E. C. Hallman, T. S. Haddock, J. T. Bean, A. J. Duryee, M. Swadener, T. C. Neal, J. B. Cook, W. M. Amos, S. F. Harter, F. M. Lacy, C. B. Sweeney, E. E. Trippeer, J. W. Cain, W. E. Hamilton, J. J. Fred, J. O. Campbell, C. B. Dougherty, O. B. Morris, E. S. Riley, W. W. Wiant, C. M. Hollopeter, F. P. Morris, C. W. Shoemaker, H. Boase, C. W. Anderson, J. O. Bills, I. R. Godwin, J. W. Gruber, H. C. Powell, R. C. Ballard, W. E. Hogan.

On motion of C. H. Smith, it was ordered that no name be announced that has received fewer than 10 votes.

Resolution.—The following resolution was read and adopted:

WHEREAS, Paragraph 85 of the Discipline specifies the duty of a District Superintendent and pastor as to claim of retired

ministers, and Paragraph 313 is also clear and definite as to the fact that the District Superintendent and pastor must pro-rate with the Retired Ministers' Fund; therefore, be it

Resolved, That this Conference call for the enforcement of the laws of the church and that all who have failed to pro-rate be required to at once see the Conference Treasurer and pay the amount of delinquency now standing against them. And that the Conference Treasurer shall report all pastors in open session of Conference Saturday morning who fail to adjust this claim on the Disciplinary basis.

(Signed): G. B. Work, Charles H. Smith, Richard C. Jones, W. B. Freeland, J. L. Gillard, J. O. Bills, J. J. Fred.

Special Claims.—On motion of L. M. Krider, the Stewards were authorized to use five per cent of their funds for payment of special claims.

The committees were called and announcements made, doxology was sung, and the benediction was pronounced by R. S. Reed, and the Conference stood adjourned.

THIRD DAY.

Afternoon Session.

Conference met at 1:30, with Bishop McDowell in the chair. He led in the singing of "Nearer, my God, to thee" and "Work, for the night is coming," after which he introduced Brother E. Starbuck, of Goshen, President of the Lay Electoral Conference, who shared with him in presiding during the joint session of the Conference and Lay Electoral Conference. The following lay delegates elected by the Lay Electoral Conference to the General Conference were introduced: E. E. Youse, of Markle; Mrs. J. C. White, of Elkhart; B. W. Ayers, of Upland; G. E. Meck, of Kokomo; F. C. Parham, of Fort Wayne; Dr. G. H. Kemper, of Muncie, and George A. Whitesel, Santa Fe charge (postoffice, Peru, R. F. D. 10). The following were announced alternate delegates: J. T. Sutton, Dunkirk; O. N. Cranor, Albany, and Mrs. Josie Nelson, Union City.

The congregation was led in singing,

"True-hearted, whole-hearted,"

after which the Bishop introduced George Elliott, D.D., of the Detroit Conference, who spoke upon the theme, "The World's Debt to the Preacher."

On motion of C. U. Wade, a collection was ordered to be taken to defray the expenses of Dr. Elliott.

Election.—The Bishop reported the result of the second ballot for delegates to General Conference, as follows: Total number of ballots cast, 195; defective, 14; total counted, 181; necessary to elect, 91. R. J. Wade received 141, and was declared elected; G. R. Grose, 126, and declared elected; S. Light, 104, and declared elected. The following received less than 91 votes: W. W. Martin, 84; J. A. Beatty, 80; L. M. Edwards, 66; M. S. Marble, 57; C. C. Travis, 39; C. E. Line, 38; W. D. Parr, 31; L. J. Naftzger, 27; J. C. White, 26; A. G. Neal, 26; W. F. Smith, 20; G. B. Work, 19; W. B. Freeland, 16; D. V. Williams, 17; F. M. Stone, 14; F. F. Thornburg, 11; J. A. Sprague, 19; F. A. Hall, 10.

On motion, the Conference adjourned to meet this evening just before the lecture.

The benediction was pronounced by Bishop McDowell.

Evening Session.

Pursuant to the time fixed for the evening session, the Conference met just before the lecture, with Bishop McDowell in the chair, to hear the result of the third ballot, as follows: Whole number of votes cast, 196; defective ballots, 4; ballots counted, 192; necessary to a choice, 97. W. W. Martin received 108, and J. A. Beatty 98, and were declared elected. The others were as follows: L. M. Edwards, 74; M. S. Marble, 47; C. C. Travis, 46; J. C. White, 36; W. B. Freeland, 34; W. D. Parr, 25; C. E. Line, 23; A. G. Neal, 20; G. B. Work, 19; L. J. Naftzger, 14.

On motion of C. C. Travis, it was ordered that we resume balloting to-morrow immediately after the reading of the journal.

On motion of the Secretary, the Conference adjourned.

FOURTH DAY.

Saturday, April 1, 1916.

Conference convened at 8:30 A. M., with Bishop McDowell in the chair. He opened the devotional services by announcing Hymn No. 332,

“Thou, my everlasting portion,”

and Hymn No. 540,

“O, could I speak the matchless worth,”

which were sung.

For a Scripture lesson the Bishop read a few verses from the Acts of the Apostles, from the first chapter, beginning at the sixth verse. His comments on the same were very helpful, and called special attention to divine companionship and that a call to service is a pledge of the presence of God and coming of Jesus. He closed the devotional service by prayer.

Journal.—The journal of the sessions of yesterday was read and approved.

The ballot was taken and the tellers retired to count the same.

Introduction.—F. M. Stone was introduced to the Conference, and represented the interests of the American University.

The tellers returned and reported that there had been no election.

A ballot was taken, and the tellers retired to count the ballots.

George Richmond Grose, President of DePauw University, was introduced to the Conference, and represented that institution.

The tellers returned, and reported that there had been no election. The seventh ballot was taken, and the tellers retired to count the same.

J. A. Beatty read a communication from certain parties relative to ground used for cemetery purposes in Adams County, Indiana, asking that the Conference deed it to the Trustees of Hartford Township, Adams County, Indiana, to

be used for cemetery purposes and for no other purposes whatever. On motion, the Secretary and President of the Conference were ordered to sign the deed of conveyance.

Bishop Luccock.—The Bishop announced at this time the death of Bishop Naphtali Luccock at his home this morning, and that the funeral would be held next Tuesday. He led the Conference in prayer for the family and church deprived of one of its great leaders.

The tellers returned and reported the result of the seventh ballot as follows: Whole number of votes cast, 204; defective, 1; ballots counted, 203; necessary to choice, 102. C. Claude Travis received 146, and was declared elected. L. M. Edwards, 52, and M. S. Marble, 11.

Rules Suspended.—On motion of W. D. Parr, the rules were suspended and in the election of reserve delegates it was ordered that the three receiving the highest number of votes should be the reserve delegates. The ballot was taken and the tellers retired to count the votes.

Rev. A. B. Storms, of the Indiana Conference, was introduced, and addressed the Conference in the interests of the Church Federation, and asked that this Conference appoint two delegates. On motion of C. E. Line, the Bishop was requested to make this appointment.

Preachers' Aid Society.—The Conference business was suspended, and the Preachers' Aid Society was in session with Bishop McDowell in the chair. The Committee on Nominations reported the following nominations for next year, who, on motion, were elected: President, L. J. Naftzger; Vice-President, B. S. Hollopeter; Secretary, C. U. Wade; Treasurer, B. F. Shroyer; General Secretary, R. A. Morrison; Secretary ad interim, J. W. Cain.

Managers: Hardin Roades, Benjamin Glasscock, B. F. Shroyer, W. A. Meeks, W. W. Martin, Edward E. Trippeer, and District Superintendent of Muncie District.

Conference Session.—The business of the Conference was resumed, with Bishop McDowell in the chair.

F. F. Thornburg was excused on account of a funeral service.

The tellers returned, and the results of the ballot were announced. The three receiving the highest number of votes being L. M. Edwards, M. S. Marble, and W. B. Freeland, they were declared elected reserve delegates.

Eleventh Question.—The Eleventh Question, "*What Members Have Completed the Conference Course of Study?*" was called. The following were passed in character, were reported in their studies by the Registrar, and, on motion of their respective District Superintendents, were graduated from the Course of Study and elected to Elder's Orders: Charles W. Anderson, Charles A. Byrt, Karl H. Carlson, Joseph Grimes, Emory A. Hartman, William E. Hogan, Albert C. Hoover, Carey W. Montgomery, James H. Richardson, Chester B. Thomas.

Clyde R. Booth was announced transferred to the Michigan Conference. J. Ira Jones, having completed his Conference Course of Study, and having been ordained an Elder previously, was graduated from the Course.

Jesse B. O'Connor and Ernest J. Wickersham were continued in the Studies of the Fourth Year.

Herbert T. Prell was granted a certificate of location on his own request.

Tenth Question.—The Tenth Question, "*What Members Are In the Studies of the Fourth Year?*" was called. The following were passed in character, reported in their studies by the Registrar, and advanced to the Studies of the Fourth Year: Dale C. Beatty, Raymond H. Wehrley, John F. Blocker, John R. Stelle, Henry C. Powell.

The following were continued in the Studies of the Third Year: Carl E. Bash, Walter A. Huffman, Frank S. Hickman, Owen B. Young.

Ephraim Leese was advanced through his remaining studies, graduated from the Course of Study, and elected to Elder's Orders under Seminary Rule.

Robert M. Sand was changed from Effective to Supernumerary, with the understanding that he locate at the end of the year.

Twelfth Question.—The Twelfth Question, "*What Others Have Been Elected and Ordained Deacons?*" was called. The answer was none.

Thirteenth Question.—The Thirteenth Question, "*What Others Have Been Elected and Ordained Elders?*" was called. The following were passed in character, recommended by their District Superintendents, and elected to Elder's Orders under the Seminary Rule: Karl R. Thompson, Ferdinand A. Shipley, Jesse O. Hochstedler, Earl D. Imler.

Fifth Question.—The Fifth Question, "*Who Have Been Received on Trial?*" was called. The following were introduced to the Conference, reported in their studies by the Registrar, recommended by the Committee on General Qualifications, represented by their respective District Superintendents, and admitted on trial in the Conference in the Studies of the First Year: George E. Whitten, William H. Menaugh, and Justin A. Morrison, recommended by the Goshen District Conference; Edward Antle, recommended by the Grace Church, Kokomo, Quarterly Conference; Richard I. Stone, recommended by the Muncie District Conference; Russell S. Jones, recommended by the Quarterly Conference of Derby, East Maine Annual Conference; William C. Howard, Benjamin H. Franklin, William O. Power, recommended by the Richmond District Conference.

Lynn H. Hough, of Garrett Biblical Institute, was introduced, and addressed the Conference in the interest of that institution.

Flood Fund.—The following resolution was offered by M. S. Marble, and adopted:

WHEREAS, The Flood Fund was created to meet an emergency, and,

WHEREAS, There is now a balance in said fund after meeting the purpose for which it was specifically created, and some unpaid subscriptions; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Board of Stewards be and are hereby authorized and directed to create a personal emergency fund, to be administered by the officers of the Board and District Superintendent of the district in which an emergency may arise; and for the creation of this fund the Treasurer of the Flood

Fund Account be hereby authorized and directed to pay to the Treasurer of the Board of Stewards the said balance which is now to the credit of the said Flood Fund, and all unpaid subscriptions for the said Flood Fund, taking his receipt for the money thus paid. (Signed) M. S. Marble.

Preachers' Aid.—The Preachers' Aid Society reconvened, with Bishop McDowell in the chair. The following resolution was offered by W. W. Martin, and adopted:

We recommend, first, That a campaign be inaugurated to increase the endowment funds of the Preachers' Aid Society of the North Indiana Conference to \$250,000, including the present funds, the amount to be secured in wills-after-death bonds, annuities, real estate, in cash, and other gifts.

Second, The appointment of Brother R. A. Morrison as General Secretary, his work to begin as soon as he can be spared from Saint Paul Church, and the reappointment of J. W. Cain as General Secretary for the year, the time when the former shall begin his work to be referred to the Managers of the Preachers' Aid Society.

Third, That the effective members of the North Indiana Conference agree to pay annually as follows: Those who are receiving less than \$1,000 cash salary, one half of one per cent; those receiving from \$1,000 to \$2,000, one per cent, and those receiving above \$2,000, one and one half per cent.

On motion of C. U. Wade, it was ordered that the District Superintendents be requested to arrange for collection of the per cent levy for the Preachers' Aid Society.

On motion, the Preachers' Aid Society adjourned.

Conference Business Resumed.—On motion of M. S. Marble, the Bishop was requested to appoint Madison Swadener National Lecturer, Anti-Saloon League of America.

Eugene Allen was introduced to the Conference, and the Bishop announced his transfer to the Dakota Conference.

Ordination.—On account of being called home on account of funeral and sickness in the home, the Bishop ordained A. C. Hoover and Carey W. Montgomery as Elders.

The announcements were made, the Conference sang "Praise God, from whom all blessings flow," and the benediction was pronounced by J. E. Williams, and the Conference stood adjourned.

FIFTH DAY.

Sunday, April 2, 1916.

The Conference met in annual love-feast at nine o'clock, in charge of J. K. Walts, assisted by W. S. Stewart and J. B. Cook.

Hymn No. 415,

"Faith of our fathers,"

was sung, and prayer was offered by J. B. Cook. Hymn No. 420,

"True-hearted, whole-hearted,"

was sung. The Scripture lesson, consisting of Psalm 103 and selections from Revelation, seventh chapter, was read by W. S. Stewart. A large number participated in an excellent testimony service, which was opened by J. K. Walts.

At 10:30 the pastor of the church announced Hymn No. 180,

"All hail the power of Jesus' name,"

which was sung, and prayer was offered by J. A. Beatty. Hymn No. 411,

"O Master, let me walk with thee,"

was sung. The choir of the church added much to the beauty of the service by the most excellent music rendered during the morning service.

Bishop McDowell preached a most helpful and inspiring sermon from Exodus, fifteenth chapter, beginning with the twenty-third verse, on the theme, "The Incarnation, An Event and a Principle." After the singing of the closing hymn, the benediction was pronounced by Bishop McDowell.

Memorial Services.

At 2 P. M. the memorial services were opened by the Secretary announcing the hymn beginning,

"Fade, fade each earthly joy,"

after the singing of which, prayer was offered by J. E. Williams.

W. A. Griest, one of the Assistant Secretaries, read the Scripture lesson.

The sermon, which was delivered by G. B. Work, from the text, Heb. 11. 13 and 10, was one of more than ordinary merit, on the theme, "The Victory of Faith."

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Naftzger assisted greatly in the memorial service by singing a beautiful duet, "This, too, shall pass away."

The North Indiana Conference Quartet sang in excellent spirit, "I want to go there."

The service closed with prayer and the benediction by the Secretary.

Ordination Service.

The ordination service was in charge of Bishop McDowell, at whose request the Secretary of the Conference called the names of the following: Valorous L. Clear, True S. Haddock, Alvin F. White, Charles W. Chadwick, and Ferdinand A. Shipley, and presented them to the Bishop to be ordained Deacons. After they had taken the vows, the Bishop ordained them Deacons.

The Secretary called the following to the altar and presented them to the Bishop to be ordained Elders: Charles W. Anderson, Charles A. Byrt, Karl H. Carlson, Joseph Grimes, Emory A. Hartman, William E. Hogan, James H. Richardson, Chester B. Thomas, Ephraim Leese, Karl R. Thompson, Ferdinand A. Shipley, Jesse O. Hochstedler, and Earl D. Imler. After these had taken the vows, the Bishop, with the assistance of the District Superintendents, ordained them Elders.

At the invitation of the Bishop, the wives of the men who had been ordained came to the altar, and other friends, and the Bishop led in a consecration song service of unusual power of the Holy Spirit. As a part of this consecration service he invited to the altar those who would consecrate their lives for special service to Jesus Christ and for salvation; to this more than twenty responded. The service was of unusual tenderness and power of the Spirit, and was without parallel in the history of our Conference. The benediction was pronounced by the Bishop.

SIXTH DAY.**Morning Session.**

Monday morning, April 3, 1916.

The Conference convened at 8:30 A. M., Bishop McDowell in the chair. He opened the devotional services by announcing Hymn No. 337,

“Prince of peace,”

Hymn No. 548,

“Blessed assurance,”

and Hymn No. 568,

“Let us anew our journey pursue,”

which were sung. The Bishop then read for a Scripture lesson from the second letter to the Corinthians, chapter five, beginning with the sixteenth verse. After very helpful comments on the same, he called upon Dr. Line to lead in prayer, thus closing the devotional services.

Journal.—The journal of Saturday’s session was read and approved.

On motion of the Secretary, it was ordered that a record of the Sunday services, including the memorial and ordination services, be published in the Year-Book as a part of the Conference proceedings, and that the memoirs be adopted as the Official Memoirs of the Conference.

Church Treasurers.—On motion of C. E. Line, it was ordered that we request the charges to elect two treasurers, one for the general budget and another for the benevolences. It was also suggested that wherever expedient, the pastor might be the treasurer of the benevolences, and that the money be placed in the bank in the name of the local church to the order of the pastor.

Articles of Incorporation.—C. U. Wade, Treasurer of the Conference Corporation, made report, which was adopted and ordered printed in the Year-Book.

New articles of incorporation were read and adopted by a two-thirds vote of those present and voting, and the proper officers were ordered to take the necessary legal steps to complete the action. On motion, it was ordered that the new

articles of incorporation be printed in the Year-Book. (See Reports.)

Officers of Conference Corporation.—President, Leslie J. Naftzger; Vice-President, T. M. Guild; Secretary, D. V. Williams; Treasurer, C. U. Wade.

Twenty-fourth Question.—The Twenty-fourth Question, "*Who Are the Retired Ministers?*" was called. The following were passed in character and continued in their present relation:

T. C. Neal, J. W. McDaniel, William Peck, F. A. Robinson, M. Mahin, T. H. C. Beall, S. C. Miller, C. E. Disbro, A. M. Patterson, J. W. Welch, W. S. Stewart, J. V. Terflinger, J. W. Paschall, H. M. Johnson, P. J. Albright, A. A. Ewell, J. E. Ervin, R. S. Reed, E. F. Hasty, J. M. Rush, B. Sawyer, W. H. Pierce, J. W. Tillman, F. M. Kemper, W. E. McCarty, G. H. Hill, M. C. Pittenger, A. S. Wooton, Eli Davis, R. H. Smith, W. F. Walker, C. H. Brown, A. J. Carey, E. L. Semans, P. S. Stephens, W. W. Brown, S. Billheimer, Lewis Reeves, S. C. Norris, J. S. Cain, C. H. Murray, J. K. Walts, J. T. Fetto, C. H. Wilkinson, O. V. L. Harvour, I. W. Singer, M. F. Stright, F. G. Browne, T. F. Frech, H. E. McFarlane, R. T. Laslie, J. B. Cook, J. M. B. Reeves.

When the name of E. F. Hasty was called, a letter was read from his pastor announcing his feeble health but triumphant spirit. When the name of J. W. Welch, who is the oldest member of this Conference, was called, on motion of W. W. Martin, his daughter, who was present, was asked to convey to him the love and greeting of his brethren in the ministry.

On motion of J. E. Ervin, E. L. Semans was elected Conference Correspondent of the retired ministers, whose duties in part would be to convey to the absentees the greetings of the Conference.

"Come, ye that love the Lord" was sung, and Bishop McDowell led in prayer.

Committee on Program.—On motion of the Secretary, the District Superintendent of Wabash District and the pastor of First Church, Huntington, were appointed a Committee on Program for the next session of the Annual Conference.

On motion of the Secretary, the Journal of the Laymen's Association and the Journal of the Lay Electoral Conference were ordered printed in our Year-Book.

Printing Journal.—On motion of W. A. Griest, the Secretary was ordered to have printed five thousand copies of the transactions of this Conference session, together with the reports and statistics, as the Official Journal, and to distribute the same to the districts pro rata with the number of members in full connection, and to send a copy to each retired member living without the bounds of the Conference and a copy to each Conference widow, and also to have a volume containing the records of the whole quadrennium bound and forwarded to the General Conference. It was further ordered, on motion of W. W. Martin, that one hundred dollars be added to the expense account of publishing the Year Book, to be given to the Secretary of the Conference as part pay for his services as Secretary.

Introduced.—P. J. Maveety, one of the Secretaries of the Freedmen's Aid Society, was introduced, and spoke in the interests of that society.

The Commission on Education made report, which was adopted. (See Report.)

Introduction.—S. H. Kirkbride, one of the Secretaries of the American Bible Society, was introduced, and spoke of the work of that society.

On motion of L. J. Naftzger, a collection was ordered taken, to be given to the janitor of the local church as an appreciation of services rendered. This collection amounted to twenty dollars.

On motion, C. W. Shumaker and J. B. Cook were appointed a committee to count the collection taken for the janitor and present the same to him.

R. J. Wade introduced a resolution concerning the uniting of this Conference with the Detroit area. The Conference unanimously refused to such union. R. J. Wade, for the Cabinet, then introduced a resolution asking for our continuance in the Chicago area and for the return of Bishop McDowell to be our resident Bishop for another quadrennium. S. Light, President of the Cabinet, put the motion to adopt, which was

carried unanimously. The Bishop graciously expressed appreciation of the resolution. "The hymn "Blest be the tie that binds" was sung.

On motion of L. J. Naftzger, each pastor was requested to speak from his pulpit concerning The Circuit Rider of Methodism and the forthcoming volume of Conference history.

M. S. Marble, for the Publishing Committee of the History, recommended that the expense already incurred and unpaid shall be carried forward to the expense account of the volume to be published.

On motion of C. E. Line, the Secretary was ordered to edit the reports of the District Superintendents until they shall require not more than five pages.

New Hospital.—On motion of J. A. Beatty, the following were appointed a committee to confer with Drs. McBeth concerning a proposed new hospital in Fort Wayne, the committee to report next year. The committee appointed are: The District Superintendent of Fort Wayne District; the pastors of First Church, Huntington, and Bluffton, Fort Wayne, and C. U. Wade.

On motion of the Secretary, the committee appointed to prepare a Conference history was continued for another year.

Change of Relation.—On motion of the Committee on Conference Relation, the following changes of relation were made: R. I. Black, from effective to supernumerary, with a request to locate at the end of the year; C. M. Hollopetter, from effective to supernumerary; W. A. Huffman, from effective to supernumerary. G. H. Crafts was continued in the supernumerary relation.

The Committee on Education made report, which was adopted, and the nominees for various Trustees and Visitors as mentioned in the report elected. (See Report.)

A. S. Preston moved that the Conference Visitors to institutions of learning be requested to make such visit during the regular work of the school year, and make a report in writing to the Conference. Carried.

Memorials.—The Commission on Memorials made report. The vote on the Colorado amendment was taken: For, 144; against, 1.

The memorial concerning the division of the Book Concern dividends was adopted. (See Memorials.)

The memorial concerning the National Local Preachers' Association was adopted. (See Memorials.)

The memorial concerning labor in the employ of the Book Concern was adopted. (See Memorials.)

The Constitutional Amendment proposed by the Mississippi Conference was put to vote with the following result: For, 9; against, 144.

On motion of the Secretary, it was ordered that when we adjourn, we adjourn to meet at 2:30 P. M.

The Bishop asked C. U. Wade to preside at the afternoon session in case he should be absent.

The announcements were made, the long-meter doxology sung, and the benediction was pronounced by E. L. Semans, and the Conference stood adjourned.

Afternoon Session.

Conference met at 2:30, pursuant to adjournment, with C. U. Wade in the chair. He announced Hymn No. 388,

"A charge to keep I have,"

which was sung, and E. L. Semans led in prayer.

Taylor University.—On motion of T. M. Hill, an apportionment of five cents per member was ordered for Taylor University, to be reported in a separate column.

Introduction.—M. Vayhinger was introduced, and spoke in the interest of Taylor University.

Reports.—The following committees made reports, which were adopted, electing officers as nominated in the committees' reports (see Reports): Social and Moral Questions, Memorial Home, District Conference Journal, Board of Control of Deaconess Aid, the Auditing Committee, Sunday-school Committee, Aggressive Evangelism, Church Publishing Interests, Parsonages and Furniture.

On motion, the Conference hymns as prepared by T. C. Neal for each year until 1925 were adopted, and ordered printed on the official programs.

L. M. Krider made verbal report for the Board of Stewards, and asked that fifty dollars be set aside as special from the Conference Claimants' Fund for the benefit of a daughter of Hosea Woolpert, deceased. On motion the request was granted.

Bishop in the Chair.—Bishop McDowell entered and took the chair, and called the Sixth Question, "*Who Have Been Continued on Trial?*"

The following were passed in character, reported their work, their studies were reported by the Registrar, and continued on trial, as follows: F. S. Chapman, R. R. Detweiler, A. K. Love, Clyde S. Miller, John S. Phillips, W. Roarig, Raymond Stone, all advanced to the Second Year Studies; L. W. Stone, I. S. Corn, J. M. Jordon, M. M. Thornburg, and L. O. Winslow, continued in the Studies of the First Year. B. W. Lewis was discontinued at his own request.

Reports.—The following committees made reports, which were adopted: On Hospitals, Home Missions and Church Extension, Sustentation, American Bible Society, Temperance, Foreign Missions, Women's Work in the Church. (See Reports.)

Memorial.—The California amendment, on motion, was defeated.

On motion of J. A. Sprague, the Conference Treasurer was instructed to prepare and have printed his own blanks for making reports to Conference by pastors.

Stewards.—L. M. Krider, for the Conference Stewards, reported the claims on the fund as amounting to \$38,220. The amount received with which to pay these claims is \$33,342. The five per cent amounts to \$1,336, and at the suggestion of the Board of Stewards, \$29,000 was ordered apportioned to the charges for the coming year.

On motion of the Committee on Conference Relation, J. M. Haines was passed in character and continued in the supernumerary relation.

The Bishop appointed W. B. Freeland and W. T. Arnold delegates to the Federated Churches of America.

On motion of B. S. Hollopeter, the Standing Committees as nominated by the Cabinet were ordered printed in the Minutes without reading.

Reports.—The Statistical Secretary and the Conference Treasurer made reports of totals and gains. Their reports were adopted. (See Statistical Reports.)

The Conference Treasurer reported the total of \$106,579 as the total of the Disciplinary collections.

The Wilmington proposition was not put to a vote because the facts and papers were not received.

The Committee on Resolutions made report, which was adopted by a standing vote. (See Resolutions.)

On motion, the journal of to-day's proceedings was approved without reading.

On motion of the Secretary, it was ordered that after devotions and the reading of the appointments, we shall adjourn *sine die*.

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Recess.—A recess of ten minutes was taken at the suggestion of the Bishop.

Transfers.—John W. Potter was announced transferred from the Dakota Conference to the North Indiana Conference.

Eugene Allen was announced transferred to the Dakota Conference, and A. V. Patton to the Troy Conference.

On motion of B. S. Hollopeter, the Bishop was requested to appoint J. W. Oborn, E. B. Westhafer, T. M. Guild, and T. J. Johnson as Conference Evangelists.

Bishop McDowell then read the appointments, the doxology was sung, and the Bishop pronounced the benediction. The North Indiana Annual Conference stood adjourned without day.

William Frazer McDowell

President.

Doris Williams.

Secretary.

Certificate of Ordination.

This Certifies, That at Fort Wayne, Indiana, on April second, nineteen hundred and sixteen, I did ordain as **Deacons**: Valorous L. Clear, True S. Had-dock, Alvin F. White, Charles W. Chadwick, and Ferdinand A. Shipley.

And at the same place, on the said day, assisted by a number of Elders, I did ordain as **Elders**: Charles W. Anderson, Charles A. Byrt, Karl H. Carlson, Joseph Grimes, Emory A. Hartman, William E. Hogan, Albert C. Hoover, Carey W. Montgomery, James H. Richardson, Chester B. Thomas, Ephraim Leese, Karl R. Thompson, Ferdinand A. Shipley, Jesse O. Bochstedler, Earl D. Imler.

William Frazer McDowell

Presiding Bishop.

Disciplinary Questions.

1. Is this Annual Conference Incorporated According to the Requirement of the Discipline?

Yes.

2. Who have been Received by Transfer, and from what Conferences?

Charles Pitmann, Maine; W. B. Hardy, North Dakota; Victor B. Hargitt, Louis F. Ulmer, Lemuel G. Carnes, Owen B. Young, George L. Conway, Ulysses S. Hartley, Julius Pfeiffer (probationer), Indiana; Ferdinand A. Shipley, West Wisconsin; John W. Potter, Dakota.

3. Who have been Readmitted?

None.

4. Who have been Received on Credentials, and from what Churches?

None.

5. Who have been Received on Trial?

(a) In Studies of First Year:

George E. Whitten, William H. Menaugh, Justin A. Morrison, Edward Antle, Richard I. Stone, Russell S. Jones, William C. Howard, Benjamin H. Franklin, William O. Power.

(b) In Studies of Third Year:

None.

6. Who have been Continued on Trial?

(a) In Studies of First Year:

Julius Pfeiffer, Lewis W. Stone, Isaac Corn, Jesse M. Jordan, Mont M. Thornburg, Leslie O. Winslow.

(b) In Studies of Second Year:

Alfred H. Kenna, FitzJames Robins, Frank S. Young, Frank S. Chapman, Reuben R. Detweiler, Arthur K. Love, Clyde S. Miller, John S. Phillips, Weber Roarig, Raymond Stone.

(c) In Studies of Third Year:

Charles W. Jeffras.

(d) In Studies of Fourth Year:

None.

7. Who have been Discontinued?

Jesse Denbo, Luther E. Markin, Burt W. Lewis.

8. Who have been Admitted into Full Membership?

(a) Elected and Ordained Deacons this year:

Valorous L. Clear, True S. Haddock, Alvin F. White, Charles W. Chadwick, Ferdinand A. Shipley.

(b) Elected and Ordained Deacons previously:

Earl D. Imler, Jesse O. Hochstedler, William F. Buckner, Alfred V. Patten, Karl R. Thompson, J. Ira Jones, John C. Wengatz.

9. What Members are in Studies of Third Year?

(a) Admitted into Full Membership this year:

Valorous L. Clear, True S. Haddock, Alvin F. White, Charles W. Chadwick, John C. Wengatz, William F. Buckner.

(b) Admitted into Full Membership previously:

Carl E. Bash, Walter A. Huffman, Frank S. Hickman, Owen B. Young.

10. What Members are in Studies of Fourth Year?

Jesse B. O'Conner, Ernest J. Wickersham, Dale C. Beatty, Raymond H. Wehrley, John F. Blocker, John R. Stelle, Henry C. Powell, Robert M. Sand, George L. Conway.

11. What Members have Completed the Conference Course of Study?

(a) Elected and Ordained Elders this year:

Charles W. Anderson, Charles A. Byrt, Karl H. Carlson, Joseph Grimes, Emory A. Hartman, William E. Hogan, Albert C. Hoover, Carey W. Montgomery, James H. Richardson, Chester B. Thomas, Ephraim Leese.

(b) Elected and Ordained Elders previously:

J. Ira Jones.

12. What Others have been Elected and Ordained Deacons?

(a) As Local Preachers:

None.

(b) Under Missionary Rule:

None.

(c) Under Seminary Rule:

None.

13. What others have been Elected and Ordained Elders?

(a) As Local Deacons:

None.

(b) Under Missionary Rule:

None.

(c) Under Seminary Rule:

Ephraim Leese, Karl R. Thompson, Ferdinand A. Shipley,
Jesse O. Hochstedler, Earl D. Imler.

14. Was the Character of each Preacher examined?

Yes, in open Conference.

15. Who have been Transferred, and to what Conferences?

A. E. Chastain, Indiana; John Jones, East Maine; Guy H.
Black, Northwest Indiana; Clyde R. Booth, Michigan; Eu-
gene Allen, Dakota; A. V. Patton, Troy; Loren J. Sheldon,
Dakota.

16. Who have Died?

Francis A. Reichelderfer, Charles E. Davis, Chauncey
King, Henry W. Bennett, William Lash, Hugh J. Norris.

17. Who have been Located at their own Request?

Herbert T. Prell, Hubert Webster, G. W. Keisling.

18. Who have been Located?

None.

19. Who have Withdrawn?

Charles Pitman, L. E. Knox.

20. Who have been permitted to Withdraw under Charges
or Complaints?

John E. Coffin.

21. Who have been Expelled?

None.

22. What other personal Notation should be made?

None.

23. Who are the Supernumerary Ministers, and for what number of years consecutively has each held this Relation?

G. H. Crafts (4), J. Z. Barrett (4), M. A. Harlan (4), C. A. Hunt (4), F. J. Speckien (3), A. H. Hirsch (2), J. M. Haines (2), C. M. Hollopeter (1), Robert M. Sand (1), Walter A. Huffman (1), R. I. Black (1).

24. Who are the Retired Ministers?

T. C. Neal (28), J. W. McDaniel (26), William Peck (23), F. A. Robinson (23), M. Mahin (22), T. H. C. Beall (19), S. C. Miller (19), C. E. Disbro (17), A. M. Patterson (17), J. W. Welch (16), W. S. Stewart (16), J. V. Terflinger (16), J. W. Paschall (14), H. M. Johnson (14), P. J. Albright (13), H. A. Ewell (13), J. E. Ervin (12), R. S. Reed (11), E. F. Hasty (11), J. M. Rush (10), B. Sawyer (10), W. H. Peirce (10), J. W. Tillman (10), F. M. Kemper (9), W. E. McCarty (9), G. H. Hill (9), M. C. Pittenger (9), A. S. Wooton (9), Eli Davis (9), R. H. Smith (8), W. F. Walker (8), C. H. Brown (8), A. J. Carey (8), E. L. Semans (8), P. S. Stephens (8), W. W. Brown (7), S. Billheimer (7), Lewis Reeves (6), S. C. Norris (6), J. S. Cain (6), C. H. Murray (6), J. K. Walts (6), J. T. Fetto (6), C. H. Wilkinson (5), O. V. L. Harbour (5), I. W. Singer (4), M. F. Stright (4), F. G. Browne (4), T. F. Frech (3), H. E. McFarlane (3), R. T. Laslie (3), J. B. Cook (3), J. M. B. Reeves (2), J. E. Williams (1), L. A. Sevits (1), J. A. Ruley (1), F. M. Lacy (1), M. R. Peirce (1), L. A. Beeks (1).

25. Who are the Triers of Appeals?

C. U. Wade, L. J. Naftzger, W. D. Parr, J. C. White, W. B. Freeland. Reserves: L. M. Krider, H. C. Harmon.

26. What is the Annual Report of the Conference Board of Home Missions and Church Extension?

No report.

27. What is the Annual Report of the Conference Board of Foreign Missions?

No report.

28. What is the Statistical Report?

See the Statistician's Report.

29. What is the Conference Treasurer's Report?

See the Conference Treasurer's Report.

30. What is the Aggregate of the Benevolent Collections ordered by the General Conference, as reported by the Conference Treasurer?

\$106,579.

31. What are the Claims on the Conference Fund?

\$38,220.

32. What has been Received on these Claims, and how has it been Applied?

\$33,342. See Report of Conference Stewards.

33. What is the Five Per Cent of the amount raised for the Support of Conference Claimants, and paid by the Conference Treasurer to the Board of Conference Claimants for Connec-tional Relief?

\$1,336.

34. What amount has been apportioned to the Pastoral Charges within the Conference to be raised for the Support of Conference Claimants?

\$29,000.

35. Where are the Preachers Stationed?

See List of Appointments.

36. Where shall the next Conference be held?

Huntington, Indiana.

Appointments.

Names in Small Capitals are Elders; in Roman, Deacons; in *Italic*, Probationers; () are Supplies. The figures indicate the year of service in the appointment.

FORT WAYNE DISTRICT.

W. W. MARTIN, D. S., 1, Ft. Wayne, Ind.

Angola.....M. PELL	1	Huntertown.....J. R. Stelle	1
Ashley.....(To be supplied)		Leo (P. O., Grabill) E. J. MAUPIN	4
Auburn.....F. A. HALL	1	Monroe.....JOHN PHILLIPS	4
Bluffton.....W. T. ARNOLD	4	Monroeville.....S. I. ZECHIEL	1
Bluffton Ct. (E. A. McCLINTOCK)	1	Montpelier.....J. O. BILLS	5
Bobo.....(John R. Elson)	1	New Haven.....H. C. POWELL	1
Coesse.....JOSEPH GRIMES	1	Orland.....B. F. HORNADAY	4
Decatur.....F. F. THORNBURG	1	Ossian.....J. O. POWELL	4
Decatur Ct. (Ezra Glendenning)	2	Ossian Ct. (Garfield Dame)	1
Fiat.....(B. D. Nysewander)	1	Pleasant Mills and Salem	
		G. L. CONWAY	1
Ft. Wayne—		Poneto.....L. G. CARNES	1
First.....D. H. GUILD	5	Ray.....K. R. THOMPSON	1
St. Paul's.....L. M. KRIDER	1	Spencerville.....J. C. VALENTINE	2
Simpson.....H. L. OVERDEER	2	Woodburn.....A. K. Love	3
Trinity			
CHARLES W. SHOEMAKER	1		
Wayne St. ....C. C. TRAVIS	8		
Circuit.....(J. M. Stewart)	2		
Fremont.....L. W. KEMPER	2		
Garrett.....CHARLES TINKHAM	6		
Geneva.....J. F. LUTEY	2		
Geneva Ct. ....(George Snider)	1		
Hamilton.....J. K. WYANT	1		
Harlan.....E. E. WRIGHT	1		
Hoagland.....E. M. FOSTER	2		
Hudson & Ashley, D. A. J. BROWN	2		

SUPERNUMERARIES

G. H. CRAFTS.....	Plymouth, O.	4
C. A. HUNT.....	Winchester, Cal.	4

RETIRED MINISTERS

B. SAWYER.....	Mansfield, O.	10
W. E. MCCARTY.....	Shoals	9
M. C. PITTENGER.....	Coesse	9
J. K. WALTS.....	Ft. Wayne	6
M. F. STRIGHT.....	Ashley	4

GOSHEN DISTRICT.

R. J. WADE, D. S., 2, 529 W. Franklin St., Elkhart, Ind.

Albion.....R. BURNS	4	Simpson Memorial	
Avilla.....C. A. CLOUD	1	KARL H. CARLSON	2
Benton.....(H. A. Kirk)	1	Trinity.....J. C. WHITE	2
Bourbon.....R. W. STOAKES	5	Circuit.....(S. Simons)	1
Bristol.....Dale C. Beatty	2	Etna Green.....EDWIN DICKSON	4
Butler.....A. H. BACKUS	3	Goshen—First.....R. L. SEMANS	4
Clunette.....W. H. Menaugh	2	St. Mark's.....J. C. GRAHAM	3
(P. O., Leesburg.)		Circuit.....(A. P. Teeter)	1
Corunna.....R. R. Detweiler	2	Howe.....C. A. HILE	2
Elkhart—		Inwood.....J. C. WOODRUFF	1
St. Paul's....R. A. MORRISON	3	Kendallville....F. A. LEMASTER	1

Kimmell.....	G. E. Whitten	2
LaGrange.....	C. L. DeBow	1
Leesburg.....	J. W. BOWEN	3
Ligonier.....	T. M. HILL	1
Middlebury.....	G. W. MARTIN	3
Mishawaka.....	L. M. EDWARDS	5
Mongo.....	J. HOCHSTEDLER	1
Nappanee.....	SHERMAN POWELL	2
N. Paris and Milford,		
A. L. LAMPORT		2
North Webster..	(W. B. Morgan)	1
Osceola.....	W. E. LOVELESS	3
Pierceton.....	G. F. HUBBARTT	4
South Milford..	V. L. Clear	2
Syracuse.....	W. E. HOGAN	1
Tippecanoe.....	H. W. PARK	1
Topeka.....	HERBERT BOASE	4
Valentine.....	FRANK S. BURNS	2

Wakarusa.....	S. B. STOOKEY	3
Warsaw.....	A. G. NEAL	8
Warsaw Circuit...	(J. H. Royer)	2
Waterloo.....	S. F. HARTER	2
Wawaka.....	A. A. TURNER	1
Wolcottville.....	W. T. DALY	1

RETIRED MINISTERS

J. W. PASCHALL.....	Goshen	14
J. W. WELCH.....	Ligonier	16
E. F. HASTY.....	Los Angeles, Cal.	11
F. M. KEMPER.....	Escondido, Cal.	9
E. L. SEMANS.....	Warsaw	8
A. J. CAREY.....	Warsaw	8
J. S. CAIN.....	Warsaw	6
C. H. MURRAY.....	Leesburg	6
C. H. WILKINSON.....	Rome City	5
J. B. COOK.....	Warsaw	3

LOGANSPOUT DISTRICT.

B. S. HOLLOPETER, D. S., 4, 717 W. Sycamore St., Kokomo, Ind.

Alto.....	(George L. Hixon)	1
(Kokomo, 9.)		
Amboy.....	C. A. BYRT	2
Anoka & Bethel..	(C. E. Dunlap)	2
(Logansport.)		
Arcadia.....	A. F. White	1
Atmos.....	W. M. AMOS	2
Boxley.....	C. W. MONTGOMERY	5
(Sheridan.)		
Bunker Hill....	C. W. CHADWICK	2
Center.....	(F. V. Barnes)	2
Cicero.....	G. W. BAILOR	1
Converse.....	H. A. P. HOMER	1
Denver.....	L. G. JACOBS	3
Elwood.....	J. F. RADCLIFFE	5
Forest.....	R. W. ROGERS	3
Frankton.....	E. S. RILEY	2
Galveston.....	G. E. GARRISON	3
Gilead.....	(H. R. Carson)	1
Goldsmith.....	LEROY MYERS	2
Greentown.....	O. T. MARTIN	1
Hillisburg.....	A. C. HOOVER	3
Hobbs & Aroma..	U. S. HARTLEY	1
Kempton.....	J. W. WALTERS	2
Kokomo—		
Grace.....	W. B. FREELAND	2
Main Street..	J. A. SPRAGUE	8
North Street..	(Everett Nixon)	3
Logansport—		
Broadway....	A. W. LOWTHER	2
Market Street..	W. A. GRIEST	2
Wheatland Ave.	D. V. WILLIAMS	1
Macy.....	E. H. KENNEDY	5
Mexico.....	F. A. WIMER	2
Miami.....	M. E. SHATTUCK	2

New Waverly....	(John Parker)	3
Peru.....	C. H. SMITH	2
Richland Chapel.	EPHRAIM LEESE	2
(Converse, 36.)		
Roann.....	B. M. BECHDOLT	3
Russiaville.....	J. F. EDWARDS	2
Santa Fe (Peru, 10)	E. C. FISHER	1
Sharpsville.....	W. C. ASAY	5
Sheridan....	W. E. MCPHEETERS	2
Tipton.....	ARTHUR CATES	3
Twelve Mile.....	E. D. IMLER	1
Walton.....	H. L. LIDDLE	1
West Middleton, (Chas. L. Hixon)		1
Windfall.....	W. E. HAMILTON	4

SUPERNUMERARIES

F. J. SPECKIEN.....	Kokomo	3
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RETIRED MINISTERS

T. H. C. BEAL.....	Cicero	19
C. E. DISBRO.....	Greentown	17
WM. PECK.....	Frankton	23
W. S. STEWART.....	Logansport	16
S. C. MILLER.....	Peru, R. D.	19
A. S. WOOTON.....	Greentown	9
C. H. BROWN.....	Kokomo	8
S. C. NORRIS.....	Culver, R. D.	6
O. V. L. HARBOR..	Laketon	5
H. E. MCFARLANE..	Russiaville	3
J. V. TERFLINGER..	Galveston	16
J. M. B. REEVES.....	Converse	2
L. A. BEEKS.....	Kokomo	1
P. J. ALBRIGHT.....	Kokomo	13

MUNCIE DISTRICT.

J. A. BEATTY, D. S., 1, Muncie, Ind.

Albany.....	J. H. PALMER	2	Pendleton.....	C. B. DOUGHERTY	1
Albany Ct.....	H. E. FORBES	2	Perkinsville.....	B. E. JONES	3
Alexandria.....	E. C. DUNN	1	(Anderson, R. D.)		
Alexandria Ct..	(Wm. Whiteford)	1	Selma.....	V. B. HARGITT	1
Anderson—First..	J. W. POTTER	1	Shideler.....	G. F. OSBUN	4
Grace.....	(Arthur Carroll)	1	Summitville.....	O. B. MORRIS	1
Indiana Avenue..	J. L. MURR	1	Summitville Ct....	(C. G. Cook)	1
Noble St.....	W. M. HOLLOPETER	2	(Upland P. O.)		
Park Place.....	J. F. BAILEY	1	Westfield.....	E. E. LUTES	2
Carmel.....	C. M. HOBBS	2	Yorktown.....	W. H. HARRISON	1
Daleville and Mt. Tabor,			Zion.....	(To be supplied.)	
(P. O., Upland)..	(B. R. Pogue)	2			
DeSoto.....	P. H. WALTER	1			
Eaton.....	J. A. PATTERSON	4			
Fishers.....	(Herbert Perry)	4			
Fortville.....	W. W. WIANT	4			
Gaston.....	E. E. DEWITT	1			
Hartford City—					
Grace.....	E. E. TRIPPEER	4			
Circuit.....	(———)				
Ingalls.....	(A. G. Kiger)	2			
Jolietville.....	(J. L. Williams)	1			
Lapel.....	P. E. GREENWALT	2			
Matthews.....	O. B. YOUNG	1			
Middletown....	W. E. PITTENGER	1			
Muncie—					
Avondale.....	F. E. FRIBLEY	2			
High St.....	D. T. STEPHENSON	1			
Madison Street...	D. S. JONES	2			
New Burlington..	<i>Edwin Ankle</i>	1			
Normal City....	P. POLHEMUS	1			
Whiteley.....	<i>Russell S. Jones</i>	1			
Noblesville—First..	C. E. LINE	1			
Circuit.....	R. I. Stone	2			

SUPERNUMERARIES

J. Z. BARRETT..Orange City, Fla. 4

RETIRED MINISTERS

H. M. JOHNSON.....	Indianapolis	14
J. W. MCDANIEL.....	Muncie	26
F. A. ROBINSON.....	Muncie	13
R. S. REED.....	Muncie, R. D. 5,	11
A. M. PATTERSON.....	Alexandria	17
J. E. ERVIN.....	Muncie	12
ELI DAVIS.....	Albany	9
W. F. WALKER,		
Irvington, Indianapolis		8
P. S. STEPHENS.....	Lapel	8
R. H. SMITH.....	Alexandria	8
W. H. PEIRCE.....	Muncie	10
W. W. BROWN.....	Muncie	7
LEWIS REEVES.....	Hartford City	6
I. W. SINGER.....	Anderson	4
J. A. RULEY.....	Anderson	1

RICHMOND DISTRICT.

SOMERVILLE LIGHT, D. S., 2, 214 Fifteenth St., Richmond, Ind.

Cambridge City....	R. C. JONES.	2	Modoc.....	J. H. Richardson	2
Centerville.....	L. P. PFEIFFER	2	New Castle.....	S. L. CATES	1
Charlottesville...	E. H. TAYLOR	3	Parker City.....	C. B. SWEENEY	3
Dunkirk.....	B. KENDALL	3	Philadelphia (Greenfield),		
Economy.....	R. C. BALLARD	1	(H. H. COMPTON)		1
Farmland.....	J. S. <i>Phillips</i>	2	Portland.....	A. S. PRESTON	3
Fountain City....	L. HUDDLESTON	2	Portland Ct.....	HENRY LACY	3
Greenfield.....	O. A. TRABUE	1	Pennville.....	E. M. DUNBAR	2
Hagerstown....	A. C. WISCHMEIER	2	Red Key.....	C. B. CROXALL	2
Kennard.....	(C. A. Mitchell)	2	Richmond—First, H. C. HARMON		3
Knightstown....	J. H. RUNKLE	2	Grace.....	U. S. A. BRIDGE	3
Lewisville.....	R. C. BALLARD	1	Third.....	J. P. CHAMNESS	2
Losantville.....	M. E. BARRETT	1	Ridgeville.....	R. H. Wehrly	3
Lynn.....	W. O. Power	2	Salamonia.....	<i>Weber Roahrig</i>	2
Markleville.....	(O. P. VanY)	2	Saratoga.....	J. W. ZERBE	2
Maxwell.....	F. A. SHIPLEY	1	Shirley.....	W. C. Howard	1
McCordsville....	C. W. Anderson	1	Spiceland.....	E. A. BUNNER	4
Mill Grove.....	A. J. DURYEE	1	Union City.....	L. J. NAFTZGER	4

Williamsburg.....	L. F. ULMER	2
Willow Branch.....	R. H. Stone	1
Winchester.....	H. S. NICKERSON	1
Winchester Ct.....	B. H. Franklin	2
SUPERNUMERARIES		
M. A. HARLAN.....	Union City	4
A. H. HIRSCH....	Collegeville, Pa.	2

RETIRED MINISTERS

M. MAHIN.....	Newcastle	22
G. H. HILL.....	Indianapolis	9
S. BILLHEIMER.....	Richmond	7
F. G. BROWNE.....	Newcastle	4
R. T. LASLIE....	Hardinsburg, Ky.	3

WABASH DISTRICT.

M. S. MARBLE, D. S., 4, The Colonial, Apt. H, Marion, Ind.

Akron.....	G. E. HUGHES	2
Andrews.....	W. F. Buckner	2
Bippus.....	C. C. Farmer	3
Burkett.....	J. H. McNary	1
Churubusco....	J. C. LAWBURGH	3
Churubusco Ct....	F. P. JOHNSON	1
Columbia City....	J. T. BEAN	2
Fairmount.....	J. J. FRED	3
Gas City.....	I. R. GODWIN	2
Huntington—First..	W. F. SMITH	5
Huntington Ct....	W. E. MURRAY	1
Jonesboro.....	A. L. WEAVER	2
LaFontaine.....	C. G. YEOMANS	5
Lagro & Asbury....	M. B. GRAHAM	1
Larwill.....	C. M. VAWTER	1
Liberty Mills.....	F. S. Young	1
Marion—First..	B. EARL PARKER	3
Grace.....	DAVID WELLS	7
Highland Ave....	C. A. MODLIN	1
Home Park.....	(H. G. Robson)	2
Ninth Street....	J. W. GRUBER	1
Markle.....	F. P. MORRIS	1
Mentone.....	J. S. NEWCOMBE	1
Mount Etna.....	(O. M. Hunt)	2
North Manchester..	J. J. FISCHER	2
Point Isabel.....	C. B. THOMAS	1
(P. O., Swayzee, Ind., R. F. D. No. 32)		

Roanoke.....	J. F. Blocker	1
Silver Lake....	ARLINGTON SINGER	1
Sims.....	E. A. HARTMAN	2
So. Whitley....	M. L. HARDINGHAM	1
Swayzee.....	(To be supplied.)	
Sweetser.....	A. D. BURKETT	1
Uniondale.....	ROSCOE SHAW	2
Upland.....	F. H. CREMEAN	1
VanBuren.....	J. O. CAMPBELL	3
Wabash—First..	EARLE NAFTZGER	4
Middle Street...	C. E. WHITE	1
Wabash Street...	J. L. GILLARD	1
Warren.....	G. B. WORK	9
Warren Circuit...	W. B. HARDY	1

SUPERNUMERARIES

J. M. HAINES.....	Warsaw	2
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RETIRED MINISTERS

H. A. EWELL.....	Dayton, Ohio	13
T. C. NEAL.....	Marion	28
J. M. RUSH.....	Riverside, Wash.	10
J. W. TILLMAN....	N. Manchester	10
J. T. FETTRO....	South Whitley	6
T. F. FRECH.....	Huntington	3

SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS.

GEORGE R. GROSE, President DePauw University; Member Mishawaka Quarterly Conference.

J. W. CAIN, Secretary Preachers' Aid Society; First Church, Marion, Quarterly Conference.

F. M. STONE, Endowment Secretary, American University; Trinity, Elkhart, Quarterly Conference.

E. L. JONES, Superintendent and Financial Secretary Memorial Home; Warren Quarterly Conference.

W. D. PARR, Secretary Conference Church Extension; Grace Church, Kokomo, Quarterly Conference.

H. B. GOUGH, Professor DePauw University; First Church, Anderson, Quarterly Conference.

W. W. SWEET, Professor DePauw University; First Church, Anderson, Quarterly Conference.

F. B. FISHER, Secretary Laymen's Missionary Movement; High Street, Muncie, Quarterly Conference.

MADISON SWADENER, National Lecturer Anti-Saloon League of America; First Church, Marion, Quarterly Conference.

P. E. POWELL, General Organizer Holy Grail; Newcastle Quarterly Conference.

E. B. WESTHAFFER, Normal City Quarterly Conference; J. W. OBORN, Warsaw Quarterly Conference; T. M. GUILD, Huntington Quarterly Conference; and T. J. JOHNSON, Normal City Quarterly Conference, appointed Conference Evangelists.

The following were appointed missionaries: JOHN WENGATZ, Africa; J. I. JONES, Japan; I. E. PRICE, Nevada; E. J. MAGOR, Utah; J. E. FERRIS, Arizona; J. C. MURRAY, Porto Rico.

Left without appointment to attend school: *C. W. Jeffras, Isaac S. Corn, Alfred H. Kenna, F. S. Hickman, E. J. Wickersham, Mont M. Thornburg, J. M. Jordan, Lewis W. Stone, Clyde S. Miller, S. O. Winslow, T. S. Haddock, C. S. Bash, F. J. Robins, J. B. O'Connor, Julius Pfeiffer.*

C. U. WADE, Endowment Secretary DePauw University; Broadway, Logansport, Quarterly Conference.

A. H. HIRSCH, Professor Ursinus College.

G. H. MYERS, Endowment Secretary Hedding College; Decatur Quarterly Conference.

C. J. EVERSON, Financial Agent Anti-Saloon League; Muncie, Normal City, Quarterly Conference.

ALPHABETICAL ROLL OF NORTH INDIANA CONFERENCE.

Probationers in *Italic type*; at school, S.; Retired, R.; Supernumerary, Sy.;
Effective, E.

A

Ent. Tr. Con.		Relation.	Postoffice.	Year.
1874	Albright, Perry J.	R.	Kokomo.	13
1909	Anderson, Charles W.	E.	McCordsville	1
1916	<i>Anle, Edwin</i>	E.	Muncie.	1
1899	Arnold, William T.	E.	Bluffton.	4
1904	Amos, William M.	E.	Atlanta.	2
1904	Asay, William C.	E.	Sharpsville	5

B

1903	Backus, Alfred H.	E.	Butler.	3
1888	Bailey, John F.	E.	Anderson.	1
1904	Bailor, George W.	E.	Cicero.	1
1905	Ballard, Ray C.	E.	Economy.	1
1891	Barrett, John Z.	Sy.	Orange City, Fla.	4
1906	Barrett, Maurice E.	E.	Lewisville.	1
1913	Bash, Carl E.	S.	Greencastle.	1
1868	Beall, Thomas H. C.	R.	Cicero.	20
1893	Bean, James T.	E.	Columbia City.	2
1913	Beatty, Dale C.	E.	Bristol.	2
1885	Beatty, James A.	D. S.	Muncie.	1
1910	Bechdolt, Burl M.	E.	Roann.	3
1882	Beeks, Lewis A.	R.	Kokomo.	1
1890	Billheimer, Sylvester.	R.	Richmond.	7
1887	Bills, J. O.	E.	Montpelier.	5
1905	Black, Rolla I.	Sy.	Saratoga.	1
1910	Blocker, John F.	E.	Roanoke.	1
1905	Boase, Herbert.	E.	Topeka.	4
1882	Bowen, John W.	E.	Leesburg.	3
1889	Bridge, Ulysses S. A.	E.	Richmond.	3
1875	Brown, Charles H.	R.	Kokomo.	8
1881	Browne, Frank G.	R.	Newcastle, 709 Indiana Av	4
1885	Brown, William W.	R.	Muncie.	7
1908	Brown, Dota A. J.	E.	Hudson.	2
1912	Buckner, William F.	E.	Andrews.	2
1900	Bunner, Enoch A.	E.	Spiceland.	4
1906	Burns, Frank S.	E.	Valentine.	2
1907	Burkett, Albert D.	E.	Sweetser.	1
1905	Burns, Robert.	E.	Albion.	4
1911	Byrt, Charles A.	E.	Amboy.	2

C

Ent. Tr. Con.	Relation.	Postoffice.	Year.
1874 Cain, John S.....	R.....	Warsaw.....	6
1876 Cain, John W.....	E†.....	Marion.....	7
1896 Campbell, John O.....	E.....	Van Buren.....	3
1871 Carey, Andrew J.....	R.....	Warsaw.....	8
1910 Carlson, Karl H.....	E.....	Elkhart.....	2
1906 Carns, Lemuel G.....	E.....	Poneto.....	1
1901 Cates, Arthur.....	E.....	Tipton.....	3
1903 Cates, Silas L.....	E.....	Newcastle.....	1
1888 Chamness, Joseph P.....	E.....	Richmond.....	2
1910 Chadwick, Charles W.....	E.....	Bunker Hill.....	2
1915 Chapman, Frank W.....	E.....	Goshen.....	1
1911 Cloud, Charles A.....	E.....	Avilla.....	1
1909 Conway, George L.....	E.....	Pleasant Mills.....	1
1874 Cook, J. Beswick.....	R.....	Warsaw.....	3
1913 Corn, Isaac S.....	S.....	Denver, Colorado.....	3
1894 Crafts, George H.....	Sy.....	Plymouth, O.....	4
1912 Cremean, Frederick H.....	E.....	Upland.....	1
1905 Croxall, Charles B.....	E.....	Red Key.....	2
1914 Clear, Valorous L.....	E.....	South Milford.....	2

D

1910 Daly, William T.....	E.....	Wolcottville.....	1
1885 Davis, Eli.....	R.....	Albany.....	9
1906 De Bow, Charles L.....	E.....	LaGrange.....	1
1915 Detweiler, Reuben R.....	E.....	Corunna.....	2
1909 DeWitt, Edward E.....	E.....	Gaston.....	1
1909 Dickson, Edwin.....	E.....	Etna Green.....	4
1859 Disbro, Charles E.....	R.....	Greentown.....	17
1905 Dougherty, Charles B.....	E.....	Pendleton.....	1
1910 Dunbar, Emory M.....	E.....	Pennville.....	2
1900 Dunn, Ellery C.....	E.....	Alexandria.....	1
1896 Duryee, Adoniram J.....	E.....	Millgrove.....	1

E

1911 Edwards, John F.....	E.....	Russiaville.....	2
1899 Edwards, Loren M.....	E.....	Mishawaka.....	5
1864 Ervin, Joshua E.....	R.....	Muncie.....	12
1905 Everson, Charles J.....	E**.....	Muncie.....	2
1875 Ewell, Horace A.....	R.....	Dayton.....	13

F

1895 Ferris, James E.....	E.....	Benson, Ariz.....	7
1878 Fetto, John T.....	R.....	Goshen.....	6
1902 Fischer, John J.....	E.....	North Manchester.....	2
1907 Fisher, Eli C.....	E.....	Peru, R. D. 10.....	1
1903 Fisher, Fred B.....	E*.....	New York, 150 Fifth Ave.....	3
1906 Forbes, Hugh E.....	E.....	Albany.....	2
1896 Foster, Everett M.....	E.....	Hoagland.....	2
1916 Franklin, Benjamin H.....	E.....	Winchester.....	2
1886 Frech, Theodore F.....	R.....	Huntington.....	3

† Secretary Preachers' Aid Society.

** Financial Agent Anti-Saloon League.

* Secretary Laymen's Missionary Movement.

Ent. Tr. Con.		Relation.	Postoffice.	Year
1890	Fred, John J.	E.	Fairmount.	3
1894	Freeland, William B.	E.	Kokomo.	2
1911	Fribley, Fremont E.	E.	Muncie.	2

G

1907	Garrison, George E.	E.	Galveston.	3
1889	Gillard, Joseph L.	E.	Wabash.	1
1896	Godwin, Ivan R.	E.	Gas City.	2
1900	Gough, Harry B.	E.	Greencastle.	9
1904	Graham, James C.	E.	Goshen.	3
1905	Graham, Morrison B.	E.	Lagro.	1
1906	Greenwalt, Phineas E.	E.	Lapel.	2
1895	Griest, William A.	E.	Logansport.	2
1896	Grose, George R.	E**.	Greencastle.	4
1906	Gruber, Jacob W.	E.	Marion.	1
1888	Guild, Daniel H.	E.	Ft. Wayne.	5
1879	Guild, Thomas M.	E*.	Huntington.	2
1910	Grimes, Joseph.	E.	Coesse.	1

H

1914	Haddock, True S.	S.	Evanston, Ill.	1
1887	Haines, Joseph M.	Sy.	Warsaw.	2
1901	Hall, Freeland A.	E.	Auburn.	1
1910	Hallman, Ernest C.	E.	Lynn.	2
1903	Hamilton, William E.	E.	Windfall.	4
1882	Harbour, Orange V. L.	R.	Laketon.	5
1897	Hardingham, Maurice L.	E.	South Whitley.	1
1909	Hardy, William B.	E.	Warren.	1
1901	Hargitt, Victor B.	E.	Selma.	1
1888	Harlan, Madison A.	Sy.	Union City.	4
1887	Harmon, Harry C.	E.	Richmond.	3
1909	Harrison, William H.	E.	Yorktown.	1
1895	Harter, Solomon F.	E.	Waterloo.	2
1912	Hartman, Emory A.	E.	Mount Etna.	1
1907	Hartley, Ulysis S.	E.	Hobbs.	1
1859	Hasty, Ezra F.	R.	Los Angeles, Cal., 2711 Normandie Ave.	11
1911	Hickman, Frank S.	S.	Greencastle.	4
1905	Hile, Conde A.	E.	Howe.	2
1870	Hill, George H.	R.	Indianapolis.	9
1903	Hill, Titus M.	E.	Ligonier.	1
1901	Hirsch, Arthur H.	Sy.	Collegeville, Pa.	2
1900	Hobbs, Charles M.	E.	Carmel.	2
1911	Hochstedler, Jesse O.	E.	Mongo.	1
1911	Hogan, William E.	E.	Syracuse.	1
1887	Hollopeter, Brenton S.	D. S.	Kokomo.	4
1888	Hollopeter, Charles M.	Sy.	Monroeville.	1
1901	Hollopeter, Walter M.	E.	Anderson.	2
1909	Homer, Harry A. P.	E.	Converse.	1
1910	Hoover, Albert C.	E.	Hillisburg.	3
1898	Hornaday, Benjamin F.	E.	Orland.	4
1916	Howard, William C.	E.	Shirley.	1

‡ Professor DePauw University.

** President DePauw University.

* Conference Evangelist.

Ent. Tr. Con.		Relation.	Postoffice.	Year.
1906	Hubbartt, George F.	E.	Pierceton	4
1910	Huddleston, Leroy	E.	Fountain City	2
1913	Huffman, Walter A.	Sy.	Elkhart	1
1905	Hunt, Clarence A.	Sy.	Riverside, Cal.	4
1904	Hughes, Gomer E.	E.	Akron	2

I

1912	Imler, Earl D.	E.	Twelve Mile	1
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J

1910	Jacobs, Leo G.	E.	Denver	3
1910	Jeffras, Charles W.	S.	Boston	5
1905	Johnson, Franklin P.	E.	Churubusco	1
1892	Johnson, Harry M.	R.	Indianapolis	14
1894	Johnson, Thomas J.	E.	Muncie	1
1907	Jones, Bert E.	E.	Anderson, R. D.	3
1893	Jones, David S.	E.	Muncie	2
1895	Jones, Edgar L.	E*	Warren	6
1909	Jones, J. Ira	E†	Fukuoka, Japan	8
1872	Jones, Richard C.	E.	Cambridge City	2
1916	Jones, Russell S.	E.	Muncie	1
1914	Jordan, Jesse M.	S.	Greencastle	3

K

1892	Kemper, Francis M.	R.	Escondido, Cal.	9
1909	Kemper, Leroy W.	E.	Fremont	2
1905	Kendall, Benjamin	E.	Dunkirk	3
1909	Kenna, Alfred H.	S.	Greencastle	3
1913	Kennedy, Edward H.	E.	Macy	5
1885	Krider, Leroy M.	E.	Ft. Wayne	1

L

1888	Lacy, Francis M.	R.	Cicero	1
1893	Lacy, Henry	E.	Portland	3
1886	Lamport, Alonzo L.	E.	New Paris	2
1899	Laslie, Reuben T.	R.	Hardinsburg, Ky.	3
1907	Lawburgh, James C.	E.	Churubusco	3
1906	LeMaster, Frank A.	E.	Kendallville	1
1910	Leese, Ephraim	E.	Converse, R. D. 36	2
1901	Liddle, Howard L.	E.	Walton	2
1882	Light, Somerville	D. S.	Richmond	2
1880	Line, Charles E.	E.	Noblesville	1
1915	Love, Arthur K.	E.	Woodburn	3
1906	Loveless, William E.	E.	Oscola	3
1887	Lowther, A. Wirt	E.	Logansport	2
1901	Lutes, Ernest E.	E.	Westfield	2
1906	Lutey, James F.	E.	Geneva	2

M

1894	Magor, Ernest J.	E†	Salt Lake City, Utah	7
1841	Mahin, Milton	R.	Newcastle	22
1883	Marble, Mitchell S.	D. S.	Marion, Colonial, "Apt H"	4
1904	Martin, George W.	E.	Middlebury	3
1908	Martin, Ottis T.	E.	Greentown	1

* Superintendent Memorial Home.

† Missionary.

° Conference Evangelist.

Ent. Tr. Con.		Relation.	Postoffice.	Year
1893	Martin, Wallace W.	D. S.	Ft. Wayne.	1
1906	Maupin, Ernest J.	E.	Grabill.	4
1915	Miller, Clyde S.	S.	Greencastle.	2
1867	Miller, Samuel C.	R.	Peru, R. D. 2.	19
1915	Menaugh, William H.	E.	Leesburg.	2
1907	Modlin, Charles A.	E.	Marion.	1
1912	Montgomery, Carey W.	E.	Sheridan.	5
1898	Morris, Frank P.	E.	Markle.	1
1909	Morris, Otho B.	E.	Summitville.	1
1909	Morrison, Rufus A.	E.	Elkhart.	3
1916	Morrison, Justin A.	S.	Elkhart.	1
1895	Murr, John L.	E.	Anderson.	1
1882	Murray, Charles H.	R.	Leesburg.	4
1882	Murray, James C.	E*.	San Juan, P. R.	5
1887	Murray, William E.	E.	Huntington.	1
1891	Myers, George H.	E†.	Abingdon, Ill.	1
1909	Myers, LeRoy.	E.	Goldsmith.	2
1859	McCarty, William E.	R.	Shoals.	9
1872	McDaniels, James W.	R.	Muncie.	26
1904	McFarlane, Hiram E.	R.	Russiaville.	23
1889	McNary, John H.	E.	Burkett.	1
1908	McPheeters, William E.	E.	Sheridan.	2

N

1896	Naftzger, Earle.	E.	Wabash.	4
1879	Naftzger, Leslie J.	E.	Union City.	4
1889	Neal, Arthur G.	E.	Warsaw.	8
1875	Neal, Tom C.	R.	Marion.	28
1907	Newcombe, James S.	E.	Mentone.	1
1906	Nickerson, Herbert S.	E.	Winchester.	1
1881	Norris, Schuyler C.	R.	Culver, R. D.	6

O

1890	Oborn, J. Wesley.	E†.	Warsaw.	11
1910	O'Connor, Jesse B.	S.	Evanston, Ill.	1
1899	Osbun, George F.	E.	Shideler.	4
1905	Overdeer, Harley L.	E.	Ft. Wayne.	2

P

1899	Palmer, John H.	E.	Albany.	2
1905	Park, Harvey W.	E.	Tippecanoe.	1
1902	Parker, B. Earle.	E.	Marion.	3
1878	Parr, William D.	E‡.	Kokomo.	10
1876	Paschall, John W.	R.	Goshen.	14
1874	Patterson, Alexander M.	R.	Alexandria.	17
1890	Patterson, James A.	E.	Eaton.	4
1867	Peck, William.	R.	Frankton.	22
1893	Pell, Millard.	E.	Angola.	1
1867	Peirce, William H.	R.	Selma.	10
1883	Peirce, Martin R.	R.	Greenfield.	1
1897	Pfeifer, Lewis P.	E.	Centerville.	2
1915	Pfeiffer, Julius.	S.	Greencastle.	1
1891	Phillips, John.	E.	Monroe.	4

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‡ Conf. Sec. Church Extension. † Conference Evangelist.

Ent. Tr. Con.	*	Relation.	Postoffice.	Year.
1915	<i>Phillips, J. Stanley</i>	E	Farmland	2
1891	Pittenger, Melville C.	R	Columbia City, R. D.	9
1908	Pittenger, Walter E.	E	Middletown	1
1902	Polhemus, Preston	E	Muncie	1
—	Potter, John W.	E	Anderson	1
1887	Powell, Sherman	E	Nappanee	2
1892	Powell, Perry E.	E†	Indianapolis, 3860 College	7
1908	Powell, J. Orr	E	Ossian	4
1909	Powell, Harry C.	E	New Haven	1
1916	<i>Power, William O.</i>	E	Losantville	1
1887	Preston, Asher S.	E	Portland	3
1888	Price, Ira E.	E**	Cedarville, Cal.	9

R

1912	<i>Richardson, James H.</i>	E	Modoc	2
1890	Radcliffe, Joseph F.	E	Elwood	5
1878	Reed, Robert S.	R	Muncie, R. D. 5.	11
1893	Reeves, John M. B.	R	Converse	2
1886	Reeves, Lewis	R	Hartford City	6
1907	Riley, Earl S.	E	Frankton	2
1915	<i>Roahrig, Weber</i>	E	Salamonia	2
1914	<i>Robins, Fitz-James</i>	S	Madison, N. J.	2
1869	Robinson, Francis A.	R	Muncie	23
1909	Rogers, Ralph W.	E	Forest	3
1876	Ruley, James A.	R	Anderson	1
1899	Runkle, John H.	E	Knightstown	2
1874	Rush, Joel M.	R	Riverside, Wash.	10

S

1911	Sands, R. M.	Sy	West Middleton	1
1877	Sawyer, Beneville	R	Mansfield, O.	10
1870	Semans, Ephraim L.	R	Warsaw	8
1894	Semans, Raymond L.	E	Goshen	4
1886	Sevits, Lewis A.	R	Albany	1
1909	Shaw, Roscoe S.	E	Uniondale	2
1909	Shattuck, Marcus E.	E	Miami	2
1911	Shipley, Ferdinand A.	E	Maxwell	1
1896	Shoemaker, Charles W.	E	Ft. Wayne	1
1908	Singer, Arlington	E	Silver Lake	1
1883	Singer, Isaac W.	R	Anderson	4
1902	Smith, Charles H.	E	Peru	2
1873	Smith, Richard H.	R	Alexandria	7
1894	Smith, William F.	E	Huntington	5
1894	Speckien, Frederick J.	Sy	Kokomo	2
1899	Sprague, James A.	E	Kokomo	8
1908	Stelle, John R.	E	Huntertown	1
1893	Stephenson, David T.	E	Muncie	1
1855	Stephens, Philip S.	R	Lapel	7
1871	Stewart, William S.	R	Logansport	16
1908	Stokes, Ross W.	E	Bourbon	5
1882	Stone, Fred M.	E*	Indianapolis	9

** Missionary.

† Organizer Holy Grail.

* Endowment Secretary American University, Washington, D. C.

Ent. Tr. Con.		Relation.	Postoffice.	Year.
1915	Stone, Raymond H	E	Willow Branch	1
1915	Stone, Lewis W	S	Greencastle	2
1916	Stone, Richard I	E	Noblesville	2
1906	Stookey, S. Burt	E	Wakarusa	3
1881	Stright, Merritt F	R	Ashley	4
1880	Swadener, Madison	E ^o	Indianapolis	2
1905	Sweeney, Charles B	E	Parker	3
1906	Sweet, William W	E [§]	Greencastle	3

T

1890	Taylor, Edward H	E	Charlottesville	2
1871	Terflinger, Jonah V	R	Galveston	14
1910	Thomas, Chester B	E	Point Isabel	1
1911	Thompson, Karl R	E	Ray	1
1898	Thornburg, Fred F	E	Decatur	1
1914	Thornburg, Mont M	S	Greencastle	3
1892	Tillman, John W	R	North Manchester	10
1891	Tinkham, Charles	E	Garrett	6
1896	Trabue, Otto A	E	Greenfield	1
1895	Travis, C. Claude	E	Ft. Wayne	8
1896	Trippeer, Edward E	E	Hartford City	4
1890	Turner, Alpheus A	E	Wawaka	1

U

1911	Ulmer, Louis F	E	Williamsburg	2
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V

1910	Valentine, John C	E	Spencerville	2
1905	Vawter, Charles M	E	Larwill	1

W

1881	Wade, Cyrus U	E**	Greencastle	6
1895	Wade, Raymond J	D. S.	Elkhart	2
1869	Walker, Wilbur F	R	Irrington	8
1903	Walter, Peter H	E	DeSoto	1
1891	Walters, Jeremiah W	E	Kempton	2
1876	Walts, Jacob K	R	Ft. Wayne	6
1891	Weaver, Alvin L	E	Jonesboro	2
1913	Wehrly, Raymond H	E	Ridgeville	3
1851	Welch, John W	R	Ligonier	16
1896	Wells, David	E	Marion	7
1909	Wengatz, John C	E [†]	Missao Americana, Lo- ando, Angola, Africa	7
1892	Westhafer, Eli B	E*	Muncie	10
1912	White, Alvin F	E	Arcadia	1
1880	White, Charles E	E	Wabash	1
1890	White, John C	E	Elkhart	2
1916	Whitten, George E	E	Kimmel	2
1909	Wiant, Warren W	E	Fortville	4
1911	Wickersham, Ernest J	S	Greencastle	3
1868	Wilkinson, Charles H	R	Rome City	5
1888	Williams, Dorie V	E	Logansport	1
1881	Williams, Joseph E	R	Pendleton	1
1912	Wimer, Frank A	E	Mexico	2

* Conference Evangelist.

§ Professor, DePauw University.

† Missionary.

** Endowment Secretary DePauw.

‡ National Lecturer Anti-Saloon League.

Ent. Tr. Con.	Relation.	Postoffice.	Year.
1914 Winslow, Leslie O.	S.	Liberty Mills.	2
1912 Wischmeier, Arthur C.	E.	Hagerstown.	2
1904 Woodruff, John C.	E.	Inwood.	1
1876 Wooton, Andrew S.	R.	Greentown.	9
1872 Work, Granville B.	E.	Warren.	9
1900 Wright, Elmer E.	E.	Harlan.	1
1904 Wyant, Jacob K.	E.	Hamilton.	1

Y

1909 Yeomans, Clyde G.	E.	La Fontaine.	5
1911 Young, Frank S.	E.	Liberty Mills.	1
1907 Young, Owen B.	E.	Matthews.	2

Z

1909 Zechiel, Samuel I.	E.	Monroeville.	1
1904 Zerbe, John W.	E.	Saratoga.	2

Members in full connection.	296
Probationers.	26
Total.	322

MEMORANDA.

LIST OF LOCAL PREACHERS

FORT WAYNE DISTRICT.

Name	Relation	Postoffice	Name	Relation	Postoffice
Baker, Nathaniel . . .	E . .	Hamilton	Kerwood, A. J	E . .	Bluffton
Baker, Leroy E	E . .	Auburn, R. D.	Keyes, W. H	L . .	Hamilton
Barker, Pleasant . . .	L . .	Monroe	Leist, James E	L . .	Poneto
Bloom, N. W	E . .	Fort Wayne	Lochner, Ralph	L . .	Grabill, R. D
Bowman, Otis	L . .	Kingsland	Lockwood, James . . .	L . .	Poneto
Brown, Roy S	L . .	Bronson, Mich.	Martin, David	L . .	Monroeville
Burk, W. B	L . .	Hamilton	McClintock, E. A . . .	E . .	Bluffton
Carrington, E. C . . .	E . .	Harlan	Metts, Charles H . . .	E . .	Pennville
Cline, A. B	L . .	Bluffton	Myres, W. J	E . .	Decatur
Crouch, Thomas W. L .	L . .	Pleasant Mills	Nipper, J. A	L . .	Fort Wayne
Crowe, George	L . .	Fort Wayne	Oliver, Mont	L . .	Monroe
Deam, H. H	L . .	Bluffton	Pontius, L. W	L . .	Fort Wayne
Dempsey, R. A	E . .	Fort Wayne	Porter, Lawrence . . .	L . .	Fort Wayne
Dowden, George O. L .	L . .	Fort Wayne	Powell, A. E	E . .	Portland
Elson, John R	L . .	Bobo	Reider, O. E	L . .	Bluffton
Elsey, A. S	L . .	Ossian	Russell, Harry	L . .	Poneto
Fawks, M. G	L . .	Fremont	Snider, George A . . .	L . .	Ossian
Foster, J. L	E . .	Hoagland	Snider, Seth W	L . .	Ossian
Glendening, Ezra . . .	L . .	Decatur	Stewart, John M . . .	L . .	Fort Wayne
Harris, Elmer	L . .	Poneto	Stokes, Darrell	L . .	Fort Wayne
Hawkins, K. A	L . .	Fort Wayne	Wilkins, S. E	D . .	Fort Wayne

GOSHEN DISTRICT.

Beisner, A. H	L . .	Elkhart	Inebnit, C. D	L . .	Goshen
Buoy, W. H	L . .	Wolcottville	Laird, A. M	L . .	Bourbon
Chisholm, T. O	L . .	Warsaw	Lawrence, D. A	L . .	North Webster
Dennius, Frank	L . .	Tippecanoe	Mayer, T. D	L . .	Warsaw
Dragoo, W. Wehman . .	L . .	Elkhart	Middleton, J. W	L . .	Elkhart
Favinger, Wayne . . .	L . .	Albion	McCarty, W. A	E . .	Brimfield
Fried, F. G	E . .	Elkhart	Parker, W. L	L . .	Avilla
Goss, W. S	E . .	Warsaw	Plancke, R. C	L . .	Elkhart
Groves, W. E	E . .	Milford	Royer, J. H	L . .	Warsaw
Groff, J. E	D . .	Mishawaka	Smith, C. W	D . .	Warsaw
Hess, W. H	D . .	Warsaw	Snyder, J. F	L . .	LaGrange
Hewitt, C. H	L . .	Goshen	Turner, R. C	L . .	Elkhart
Hines, W. L	D . .	Warsaw	Weyrick, A. E	D . .	Osceola

LOGANSPORT DISTRICT.

Achor, Leroy W	L . .	Forest	Dunlap, C. E	L . .	Logansport
Baldwin, J. N	L . .	Deedsville, R. R.	Harper, Geo. W	E . .	Frankton
Barrow, Samuel	E . .	Kempton	Harper, C. H	D . .	Converse
Bartlett, Samuel . . .	E . .	Kokomo	Hixon, Geo. L	L . .	Kokomo, R.R.No.9
Conner, J. R	L . .	Macy	Hoon, W. L	E . .	Kokomo
Clouse, Frank P	L . .	Kokomo	Jenkins, W. H	L . .	Cicero

LOGANSPORT DISTRICT.—Continued.

Name	Relation	Postoffice	Name	Relation	Postoffice
Krider, Walter W.	L.	Greencastle	Powell, B. B.	L.	Wagoner
Lynas, L. M.	E.	Tipton, R. R.	Ransopher, Oliver	L.	Forest
Michel, Roy W.	L.	Tipton, R. R.	Silverthorn, Richard H.	L.	Kokomo
Michel, Otto W.	L.	Tipton, R. R.	Sparling, John B.	L.	Greencastle
Mohler, Henry C.	L.	Gilead	Stafford, W. A.	L.	Kempton
Morrow, M. C.	L.	Oakford	Teeter, Alvin P.	L.	Sheridan, R. R. 22
Mott, Thurman	L.	Sheridan, R. R.	Tone, T. J.	E.	Cicero
Nixon, Everett	L.	Kokomo	Van Camp, T. A.	L.	Tipton
Osborn, W. H.	L.	Kokomo	Wann, Harry A.	L.	Greencastle
Outland, M. A.	L.	Kokomo	Williams, M. E.	L.	Hillisburg
Parker, John	L.	New Waverly	Wilson, S. L.	E.	Kokomo, R. R.
Pond, Clifton	L.	Greencastle	Wood, J. W.	L.	Galveston

MUNCIE DISTRICT.

Albert, C. E.	L.	Noblesville	Marsh, H. C.	L.	Muncie
Bennett, Sidney	D.	Alexandria	Perry, Herbert	L.	Fishers
Brandon, I. N.	L.	Noblesville	Pogue, B. R.	L.	Upland
Brown, O. C.	L.	Upland	Polhemus, W. H.	L.	Daleville
Cranor, O. N.	L.	Albany	Roberts, B. O.	D.	Muncie
Day, O. O.	L.	Carmel	Ross, Loren M.	D.	Muncie, R. D.
Ferguson, H. E.	D.	Anderson	Ross, Wm. W.	D.	Muncie, R. D.
Gibson, Robert	L.	Muncie	Satterfield, T. M.	E.	Muncie
Hinshaw, E. H.	L.	Hartford City	Shinn, Benj. G.	D.	Hartford City
Jarvis, Joshua	D.	Albany	Thomas, T. E.	L.	Muncie
Jenkins, Isaac N.	L.	Anderson	Tuttle, W. W.	L.	Muncie, R. D.
Jones, Wm. I.	D.	Pendleton	Walker, M. B.	L.	Fortville
Kiger, A. G.	E.	Daleville	Watson, G. C.	D.	Matthews
King, Maxmillian	E.	Eaton	Williams, J. L.	L.	Upland
Kirk, H. A.	L.	Muncie	Wood, Chas. A.	D.	Muncie
Mallery, Curtis	D.	Noblesville			

RICHMOND DISTRICT.

Allen, Frank	L.	Richmond	Lanning, Isaac N.	D.	Millgrove
Ayres, Carey C.	E.	Redkey	Learner, Ellis M.	L.	Richmond
Brown, Harry	L.	Winchester	Luring, Henry	E.	Richmond
Brumfield, Ezra J.	L.	Markleville	McConnell, Louis	L.	Dunkirk
Bunyan, L. H.	E.	Richmond	Miller, Theodore	L.	Cleveland
Cook, Clarence	L.	Upland	Mitchell, Chas. A.	L.	Kennard
Cox, Earl	L.	Winchester	Moody, Thomas C.	L.	Lynn
Crider, Ralph J.	L.	Cleveland	Naftzger, E. W.	L.	Union City
Elder, Robert W.	L.	Portland	Prather, W. E.	D.	Farmland
Franklin, Benj. W.	L.	Winchester	Reager, L. D.	E.	Markleville
Hatfield, H. T.	E.	Cleveland	Roberts, Harry B.	L.	Newcastle
Havens, James M.	L.	Greenfield	Sharkey, Patrick	L.	Shirley
Hunt, John	L.	Whitewater	Shaw, Joseph	L.	Charlottesv'le
Hutchens, H. C.	L.	Willow Br.	Souders, John W.	E.	Kennard
Hutchens, J. L.	E.	Richmond	Thomas, Roscoe	L.	Cleveland
Jackson, I. A.	L.	Redkey	VanY, Oliver P.	L.	Markleville
Kirkpatrick, Wm. L.	L.	Cleveland	Whetsel, William	L.	Shirley
Lacey, Harry	L.	Fount'n City	Worth, Everett E.	L.	Dunreith
Lahey, Charles W.	L.	Winchester	Wright, Tilman	L.	Dunkirk

WABASH DISTRICT.

Name	Relation	Postoffice	Name	Relation	Postoffice
Abbey, Vere W.	L.	Upland	Krinn, Wm.	L.	Marion
Abbey, M. O.	L.	Upland	Lantis, Clarkson.	L.	Uniondale
Adkins, Rollin R.	L.	Upland	Leiter, J. C.	L.	Colu'bia City
Baltzell, C. W.	L.	Upland	McClish, G. L.	L.	Upland
Blades, J. P.	L.	Upland	Miller, John.	L.	Huntington
Bos, Jacob.	L.	Upland	Miller, Leslie H.	L.	Greencastle
Brooks, L. M.	L.	Upland	Moore, Harley J.	L.	Upland
Brown, J. H.	L.	Upland	McCutcheon, Robt. S.	L.	Upland
Bushey, C. J.	L.	Upland	McNulty, Ernest O. L.	L.	Upland
Cook, Victor L.	L.	Upland	Olson, Clarence.	L.	Upland
Culver, C. P.	L.	Upland	Osborn, L. C.	L.	Upland
Clemens, Moses H. L.	L.	Huntington	Peavey, Victor L.	L.	Upland
Curless, W. B.	L.	Swayzee	Rasmussen, S. G.	L.	Upland
Davis, E. W.	L.	Upland	Robson, H. G.	L.	Upland
Easton, J. W.	D.	So. Whitley	Rumbley, Alb't H. L.	L.	Upland
Farmer, C. C.	L.	Bippus	Salter, S. R.	L.	Upland
Fields, Newt.	L.	Marion	Sigafoose, J. W.	L.	Marion
Hacker, T. F.	D.	Warren	Smith, Phillips Brooks.	L.	Upland
Hill, Fred.	L.	Greencastle	Spaulding, J. E.	L.	Upland
Holm, D. D.	D.	Huntington	Timmons, Mell.	L.	Andrews
Horn, O. G.	L.	Burkett	Thompson, C. S.	L.	Upland
Howard, C. E.	L.	Burkett	VanVleit.	L.	Upland
Hunt, O. M.	L.	Mt. Etna	Waterson, S. K.	L.	Churubusco
Irwin, R. L.	L.	Warren	White, L. A.	L.	Upland
Jensen, Jesse.	L.	Upland	Wister, Lester.	L.	Upland
Jinkins, H. M.	L.	Upland	Woodring, Floyd.	L.	Marion
Jones, H. L.	L.	Upland	Young, H. A.	L.	Upland
Jordan, Geo. L.	D.	Bippus	Zepp, Arthur.	L.	Upland
Knight, J. W.	L.	Upland			

DIRECTORY OF CONFERENCE WIDOWS.

"Honor Widows that are Widows indeed."

NAMES.	POST-OFFICE.	NAMES.	POST-OFFICE.
Anderson, Sarah J.....	Greenfield.	Mahin, Catherine L.....	Huntington.
Baker, Mary.....	Montpelier.	McCarty, Margaret M....	Muncie.
Baker, Ida A.....	Warsaw.	McCoy, Emma.....	Denver.
Belt, Laura.....	Warsaw.	McElwee, Annie B.....	Berlin, Germany.
Bennett, Lucy K.....	Warsaw.	McElwee, Laurinda.....	Kokomo.
Boston, May.....	Pendleton.	Mellinger, Martha J.....	Logansport.
Bridge, Maria.....	Huntington.		2308 North St.
Brown, Edith.....	Pennville.	Mendenhall, Rosa.....	Union City.
Butts, Emma P.....	Sykesville, Md.	Metts, Eliza W.....	Muncie.
Comstock, Eliza. B. P.....	North Manchester.	Miller, Ella.....	Warren.
Cone, Sophia M.....	Winthrop, Mass., 90 Bellevue Ave.	Mott, Harriett.....	Coldwater, Mich., 198 E. Washington St.
Cook, Elizabeth B.....	Arvada, Col.	Neal, Artalissa.....	Terre Haute.
Cooper, Alice M.....	Goshen.	Norris, Hattie.....	Dalton, Ohio.
Curtis, Ellen.....	Fountain City.	Peddycord, Mary.....	Waller, Tex.
Daniel, Emma L.....	Decatur.	Phillips, Nancy E.....	Eaton.
Davis, Alice.....	Marion.		
Davis, Laura.....	Marion.	Pierce, Ella.....	Atlanta.
Earp, Ella G.....	Eldorado, Kas.	Powell, Jennie.....	Anderson.
Forkner, Margaret A.....	Redkey.	Powell, Sarah H.....	Middletown.
Fouts, Bessie Levering.....	Terre Haute.	Randolph, Laura.....	Marion.
Fish, Matilda G.....	Middletown.	Rehl, Clara R.....	Mansfield, O., 42 Hammond Ave.
Gerard, Carrie F.....	Mt. Gilead, O.		
Gillam, Judith A.....	Muncie.	Reichelderfer, Mae.....	Harlan.
Greer, Elizabeth M.....	Muncie.	Rogers, Lizzie S.....	Pendleton.
Gregg, Eva.....	Greencastle.	Simpson, Lydia A.....	Elkhart.
Hammond, Jessie.....	Hamilton.	Skinner, Martha E.....	South Bend.
Herriek, Sarah J.....	Kokomo.	Slack, Naomi.....	Kokomo.
Harrison, Flora C.....	Dayton, Ohio. 107 S. Findlay St.,	Smith, Luvena.....	Chili.
		Smith, Maggie.....	Warsaw.
Herron, Harriet.....	Greencastle.	Smith, Mary L.....	Warsaw.
Hudson, Hannah B.....	Anderson.	Tobey, Nettie.....	Bluffton.
Jackson, Emma.....	Elkhart.		414 W. Wabash St.
Johnson, Emma B.....	Alexandria.	Teague, Hettie A.....	Pendleton.
Jordan, Celia.....	Chicago, Ill. 4949 Indiana Ave.	Vigus, Maria.....	Wabash.
		Wayman, Armilda.....	Hillisburg.
King, Addie.....	Fort Wayne.	White, Anna.....	Elkhart.
Lamport, Mary J.....	South Bend.	Wones, Dora L.....	Warsaw.
Lewellen, Minerva.....	Wheeling.	Wright, Sarah R.....	Greencastle.
Luse, Hattie M.....	Amboy.	Young, Lucy M.....	Chicago, Ill.

APPORTIONMENT OF BENEVOLENCES.

TO THE DISTRICTS OF THE NORTH INDIANA CONFERENCE FOR 1915-16.

The Disciplinary Benevolences were apportioned by H. B. Hollingshead, Secretary of Apportionment for the Methodist Episcopal Church. The grades used by him were also used in making all other apportionments to the districts.

DISTRICTS.	MINIS'L SUPPORT.		DISCIPLINARY BENEVOLENCES.									CONFERENCE BENEVO'L'S.				
	Episcopal Fund.....	Conference Claimants.....	Foreign Missions.....	Home Missions.....	Freedmen's Aid Society.....	Board of Sunday Schools.....	Board of Education.....	American Bible Society.....	Church Temperance Soc.....	Children's Day.....	Hospital.....	Horne for the Aged.....	Sustentation.....	Taylor University.....		
Ft. Wayne.....	\$845	\$4990	\$6430	\$5572	\$962	\$784	\$1718	\$370	\$185	\$400	\$1400	\$1400	\$1090	\$640		
Goshen.....	882	5277	6948	6022	1042	811	1968	386	193	405	1448	1448	1088	675		
Logansport.....	827	5066	6608	5721	991	760	1842	370	180	380	1380	1380	1055	640		
Muncie.....	799	4768	6220	5390	933	725	1762	345	172	362	1295	1295	981	604		
Richmond.....	751	4400	5700	4940	855	670	1600	306	167	340	1164	1164	942	641		
Wabash.....	761	4510	5855	5091	876	700	1680	329	169	346	1199	1199	951	660		
Totals.....	4865	29011	37761	32736	5359	4400	10570	2106	1066	2237	7886	7886	6907	3940		

B. S. HOLLOPETER,
Secretary of the Cabinet.

Reports of District Superintendents.

FORT WAYNE DISTRICT.

James A. Beatty, District Superintendent.

Dear Bishop and Brethren: In my sixth annual report, I am happy to record the continuous forward movement of Fort Wayne District. The symmetrical coming up of all departments of the work is most gratifying. It has not been our policy to magnify any one interest to the neglect of others.

During the year thirty-eight faithful pastors and fifteen hundred loyal laymen have applied themselves with unflagging zeal and devotion to the solution of the problems vital to our prosperity. The true mission of the church, with its bigness and intensity, has been emphasized. Intellect, activity, and courage have been combined with faith and heroic endeavor to purify the church and attract men to Jesus Christ.

Changes.—The first break came the last of June, when J. E. Coffin, appointed to the Hamilton charge, was discovered indulging in gross immoralities. When confronted with the charges, he confessed his guilt, and, at the request of the District Superintendent, he withdrew from the ministry and membership of the church and surrendered his credentials. L. G. Carnes was transferred from the Indiana Conference and took up the work the first of August. Brother Carnes has proven himself a true workman of God. He conducted an evangelistic campaign at Hamilton for three months, with over forty conversions. It is the first revival Hamilton has had for several years. New Haven was made vacant by the death of our dear Brother Chauncey King. H. C. Powell was taken from the Bobo charge the middle of December and placed at New Haven. The Quarterly Conference fixed his salary at \$1,000, and the year is closing pleasantly and prosperously. G. L. Conway was transferred from the Indiana Conference and began the work immediately at Bobo. He has had great revivals, and the work has so increased in two months that petitions have come from Pleasant Mills and Salem asking to be made a two-point work, paying \$1,000 pastoral support, rent a parsonage, and pledge the full payment of the other three salaries. Only two years ago this was a five-point circuit, paying \$800 for pastoral support. These are great doings to occur in a few weeks' time.

Death Toll.—We are saddened to report that death has again entered our ranks. Zilpha Crafts, wife of Rev. George H. Crafts, after a lingering illness of more than two years, answered the call of the Master the 19th of last May and entered into rest from their home in Plymouth, Ohio. She was intensely interested with her husband in all phases of church work. She organized the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society at Monroe, where her dues are still paid. It would



J. A. Beatty.

be hard to find a more devoted, saintly woman. Rev. Chauncey King was suddenly called from labor to reward. On Sunday night, November 7, he came to his crowning. The previous Sunday he was in his pulpit. For forty-one years he was a member of the North Indiana Conference, and much of that time a prominent figure with us. He had the confidence of his brethren, and we shall be poorer for his having left us. I must record the death of another who went out from one of our parsonage homes, but only relatively belonged there. It was Mary D. Travis, the beautiful, sweet-faced mother of Rev. C. Claude Travis. She was a woman of unusual intelligence and had traveled widely in this country and in South America. Only a few brief days she was sick, just as if God knew she did not need much time to get ready to die. Just before the beautiful Christmas time, December 12, she closed her eyes in a sweet farewell and slipped into the low-swinging chariot and entered into peaceful rest.

Fort Wayne Methodism.—Our Methodism in the city of Fort Wayne has had a phenomenal growth. Rev. C. Claude Travis is closing his seventh year in the Wayne Street Church. All phases of the work have been splendidly developed. It now ranks among the strong, popular churches of the city. It has sent out eleven ministers and missionaries to bless the world. It is establishing a fine record in the field of social service and civic righteousness. Rev. Travis is not only popular with his own church, but equally so throughout the city. Notwithstanding the flattering invitations from other large churches in the Conference, this great church is unanimously insisting that Brother Travis be retained.

Dr. D. H. Guild is closing his fourth year at First Church. While this is a down-town church, it is a perfect beehive of industry. It has a membership reaching up toward eleven hundred, and has the largest Young People's Society, touching more lines of work, than any in the district, or perhaps in the entire Conference. Dr. Guild has all departments of the church well organized, and it is advancing with majestic tread. The fourth Quarterly Conference unanimously invited Dr. Guild to return for another year.

This is Rev. H. L. Overdeer's first year at Simpson Church. He has had a great year, increasing the membership more than one hundred and the benevolences \$343. He is also getting a good start in paying off the church debt. This church now ranks with the great churches of the city. The Quarterly Conference was unanimous in inviting the return of their pastor.

Rev. T. M. Hill is completing his sixth year at Trinity Church. The membership has been increased from three hundred and forty-seven to seven hundred and twenty-seven. The church building is not sufficient to care for more than half that membership, and they are preparing to build. Brother Hill has kept the church on a high spiritual tide, and has increased the benevolent offerings from a total of \$434 to \$1,106, or an increase of one hundred and fifty-five per cent.

Dr. F. H. Cremean has had five remarkable years at Saint Paul Church. During this time the church has been rebuilt and a new \$4,000 parsonage placed on the same lot with the church. The membership has been increased from two hundred to four hundred and sixty-four, and the benevolences more than doubled.

Fort Wayne Methodism no longer needs to beg for recognition. In the six years the churches have increased in pastoral support from \$8,500 to \$10,500, an increase of twenty-seven per cent. They have increased in valuation of church property from \$129,800 to \$202,500, a gain of \$72,700, or fifty-eight per cent. Increased in membership from 2,277 to 3,866; gain, 1,589, or seventy per cent.

Pastors Married.—Two of the pastors of the district were married

this year. Dr. F. H. Cremean selected for his bride Miss Agatha B. Brenizer, of Fort Wayne. On September 16, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Brenizer, the District Superintendent performed the ceremony that united their destinies. The bride is an accomplished young lady and is entering heartily with Brother Cremean in the work of the ministry.

Miss Ada D. Campbell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Myron Campbell, of South Bend, was the choice of Rev. C. Claude Travis. On October 2 the ceremony was solemnized by Bishop William F. McDowell. Mrs. Travis has special fitness for this important work upon which she has entered, being a graduate of DePauw University and for some time a Young Women's Christian Association secretary. She has already entered extensively into giving Bible instruction in her own church and other organizations in the city, thereby having won many fine friends, and her capabilities worthily recognized.

Building and Improvements.—The year has witnessed the building of two churches and one parsonage. Soon after Conference, E. J. Maupin called his congregation together and launched a new church enterprise. So rapidly did the plans develop that in a month they broke ground for the new church. The work went rapidly forward and, February 27, the District Superintendent had the pleasure of dedicating one of the most beautiful churches to be found in any small town in the Conference. The congregation was asked for \$5,000 to cover all indebtedness, which was pledged with a small surplus. The main church has three classrooms, a lecture room, and an auditorium with a seating capacity of six hundred. They have their own dynamo and a fine basement with modern improvements. Rev. E. J. Maupin is the heroic pastor who dared to look this difficult proposition in the face. He superintended the building, kept the time of the workmen and gave them their checks. He had about him as fine a Board of Trustees and Building Committee as ever surrounded a pastor. The cost of the building was \$11,000; it looks as if it would be cheap at \$15,000.

The people at Harlan had the plans all completed before the ending of last Conference year to rebuild their church. Under the wise direction of the pastor, S. I. Zechiel, who was his own architect, and a loyal Board of Trustees, this fine enterprise was carried to completion. The seating capacity of the church was more than doubled, the symmetry was maintained, and a fine \$10,000 church was secured for \$5,500. November 14 the District Superintendent was invited to dedicate this splendid church and raise the needed amount of money to take it out from under the claim of man. When these charges can spare these men and you want a good church builder, good pastor and preacher, get Brother Zechiel or Brother Maupin.

Poneto had long needed a new parsonage, to which former pastors will testify. The Rev. John R. Stelle, of good business genius, has it all complete and partly furnished and paid for at a cost of \$3,000, and the pastor and family now live in the best house in Poneto, and not a dollar of debt.

Fremont rebuilt their parsonage at a cost of \$1,280. It is now modernized and becomes a very comfortable preacher's home.

Garrett has plans and money already to build a \$5,000 parsonage next year. It is just like Charles Tinkham to do it that way.

Other churches have made repairs as follows: Angola, \$283; Bluffton, \$165; Decatur, \$121; Fiat, \$700; Fort Wayne, First, \$250; Simpson, \$150; Trinity, \$200; Wayne Street, \$900; Fort Wayne Circuit, \$146; Hamilton, \$60; Hudson, \$95; Hometown, \$855; Monroe, \$475; Monroeville, \$530; Montpelier, \$518; Orland, \$159; Pennville, \$300; Portland, \$440; Portland Circuit, \$200; Spencerville, \$127;

Woodburn, \$502; York, \$174. Total expenditure for building and improving, \$28,467.

Debts Paid.—The staggering debt of \$3,500 has been paid, and the closing night of the District Conference we witnessed the cremating of the notes as we joined in a jubilee with Brother Bills, the happy pastor, and his Board of Trustees and a house full of people. It is the first time this church has been free from debt for twenty years, and the obsequies were not very solemn. Rev. H. S. Nickerson raised in pledges a \$2,000 debt, and paid \$900 of it. Other debts were paid as follows: Auburn, \$550; Fort Wayne, First, \$600; Simpson, \$1,500; Trinity, \$600; Saint Paul, \$765; Garrett, \$5,000; Geneva, \$550; Geneva Circuit, \$125; Hoagland, \$150; Monroe, \$450; Monroeville, \$175; Ossian, \$7,500; Pennville, \$600; Portland Circuit, \$700; Woodburn, \$75. Total debts paid, \$24,058. Total paid for both causes, \$52,525.

Church Organizations.—The most hopeful department of our work is the Sunday school. We have ninety-three schools, with an enrollment of twenty thousand. The larger schools are operated under the graded system and are reaching a high state of efficiency.

The pastors report forty-six Epworth Leagues, with an enrollment of twenty-three hundred. There is now the best religious life and activity in the Epworth League of its history. Several Gospel Teams have been organized and are assisting pastors in evangelistic work. The pledges for Dr. E. O. Ernsberger, Superintendent of Belgaum District, India, totaled more than \$1,500.

The Junior League reports show twenty-four chapters, with an enrollment of eleven hundred and fifty. They contribute \$350 to missionary work.

The Woman's Home and Woman's Foreign Missionary Societies are well established, and enlarging their work by organizing new auxiliaries.

Seventy-one Ladies' Aid Societies are reported having raised \$14,278. These societies are helping cultivate the social spirit in the churches, as well as financial aids. The banner society of the district is Ossian, having raised \$1,000.

Preachers' Aid Society.—The district has come across with over \$11,000 for this society. We had reached our goal for \$10,000 with a small margin when Brother J. F. Ward, of Garrett, concluded he wanted to turn over some of the Lord's money. He came with Brother Tinkham to ask the District Superintendent what he should do with it. He decided to give \$1,000 to the Preachers' Aid Society; \$1,000 to his local church; to put into his will \$1,000 for the Home Missionary Society and \$500 for the Foreign Missionary Society, with the likelihood of increasing that to \$1,000. Brother Ward has just recognized the ownership of God. May his kind be multiplied!

District Meetings.—We had three district meetings during the year. The first was the meeting of the pastors and District Stewards, in May, with an efficiency program.

The second was a series of meetings held the first ten days of October in the interest of our benevolences, with Bishop Warne and Dr. James M. Taylor as leaders. They were ably assisted by Drs. Walling Clark, of Italy; B. O. Peterson, of the Philippine Islands, and Rev. J. W. Pickett, of India. They thoroughly covered the district with their thrilling addresses and good literature. It was one of the best campaigns ever conducted in the district.

Settlement-day meetings were held at Auburn and Decatur, December 1 and 2.

Our third was the District Conference, which was held February 28 to March 1, at Montpelier. It is sufficient to say we had a strong program when I announce such speakers as Bishop McDowell, Dr.

E. S. Shoemaker, Dr. Ernest C. Wareing, Dr. Fred M. Stone, Mrs. Edwin R. Graham, and the splendid sermons and addresses of the pastors and laymen of the district.

The outstanding meeting of the year, while not a district meeting, was held in the district at First Church, Fort Wayne, September 21. It was in the interest of the Forward Movement Program, and was put on by Bishops Henderson and McDowell. The far-reaching effect was perhaps the greatest of any one-day program ever planned.

Spiritual Awakening and Membership.—While we have not had the great tabernacle meeting this year as we had last, the revival spirit has continued all over the district. The pastors have largely held their own meetings. Sickness and bad roads have somewhat interfered, and in some instances meetings had to be deferred. Montpelier, Ossian, and Angola held their meetings last spring or early in the summer, with good results. Evangelists Patty and Stapleton conducted a meeting at Simpson Church, Fort Wayne, where one hundred and seventy-five were converted and the membership increased by more than one hundred.

Fremont has had the greatest revival in her history. Eighty-four people were converted, mostly heads of families. L. W. Kemper was his own evangelist, and as a result of this meeting Fremont becomes a station, paying as a minimum salary \$1,300. Ray will pay \$500 to pastoral support, making for these two points \$600 more than last year.

Rev. J. W. Gruber has had another year of revival on the Huntertown charge. Last year he had 355 conversions, this year 132, bringing the membership of this country charge up to 727. Huntertown petitions to become a station, offering a cash salary of \$1,000, and they rather prefer Brother Gruber for their pastor.

Rev. G. L. Conway, recently transferred from the Indiana Conference, has had great revivals on the Bobo charge. Pleasant Mills and Salem come up with strong petitions to be made a two-point charge, agreeing to pay as a minimum cash salary \$1,000, house rent, and other ministerial claims. They think Brother Conway is the desirable man for them.

Another outstanding revival was at Pennville, conducted by the pastor, E. M. Dunbar. Dr. J. A. Sprague rendered valuable assistance in this meeting. He reports 107 conversions and 32 reclamations. Early in the winter Brother Dunbar conducted a revival on the Fiat charge, with 66 conversions. We loaned him to other districts, and at Van Buren 100 were converted, and at Main Street, Kokomo, 200 conversions. He has had about 450 conversions to his credit this year.

The following will show the number converted and reclaimed in the district: Angola, H. S. Nickerson, 103; Auburn, F. F. Thornburg, 22; Bluffton, W. T. Arnold, 50; Bluffton Circuit, E. A. McClintock, 44; Decatur, D. T. Stephenson, 16; Decatur Circuit, Ezra Glendening, 26; Fiat, Charles Metts, 78; Fort Wayne, First, D. H. Guild, 30; Saint Paul, F. H. Creman, 84; Trinity, T. M. Hill, 45; Wayne Street, C. C. Travis, 30; Geneva, J. F. Lutey, 27; Geneva Circuit, Joseph Grimes, 18; Hamilton, L. G. Carnes, 62; Harlan, S. I. Zechiel, 28; Hoagland, E. M. Foster, 17; Hudson-Ashley, D. A. J. Brown, 21; Leo, E. J. Maupin, 27; Monroe, John Phillips, 60; Montpelier, J. O. Bills, 115; New Haven, H. C. Powell, 21; Orland, B. F. Hornaday, 70; Ossian, J. O. Powell, 70; Portland, A. S. Preston, 45; Portland Circuit, Henry Lacy, 15; Woodburn, A. K. Love, 32; Spencerville, J. C. Valentine, 8; York, J. R. Elson, 8.

There have been converted and reclaimed a total of 2,028. There have been received into the church on probation 1,340. Received into full membership, 1,810. Increase for the year, 1,584, or ten and a half per cent plus.

Benevolence and Finance.—The reports of the pastors show that the benevolences will be much in advance of last year. First Church, Bluffton, W. T. Arnold, pastor, will lead with a total of \$8,355. Many of the charges will report a large increase.

Pastors' salaries have been increased more than \$4,000, and full ministerial support, \$6,500. There will be little if any deficits.

Six Brief Years.—Six busy years have so engaged us they are but as yesterday when past. Our inheritance was large. Dr. C. U. Wade, one of the best Superintendents the church ever had, turned the district over in fine condition. The grade was high. But we have tried to pull on up the hill. During these six years we have helped pull DePauw University out of financial distress with over \$37,000. Helped build our Methodist Hospital at Indianapolis with \$12,000. Come across with \$11,000 for our Preachers' Aid Society. Installed the New Financial Plan over the entire district, and launched the Forward Movement Campaign.

Church Property.—The six years have witnessed the building or rebuilding of fourteen new churches. Four new parsonages have been built, two rebuilt, and two others secured by purchase. Many other churches have been improved and modernized. The church property valuation has been increased from \$631,390 to \$846,600—increase, \$215,210.

Ministerial Support.—Six years ago only ten charges were paying their pastors as much as \$1,000. This year there are twenty-seven paying that much and above, and two more have just come up into that column for next year. In 1910 the total cash salaries for pastoral support was \$35,062—1916, \$45,960. A gain of \$10,890, or thirty-one per cent.

Pastors' salaries, including rent, 1910, \$40,700; 1916, \$52,955—a gain of \$12,255, or thirty per cent.

The Episcopal Fund was increased from \$496 to \$850, a gain of \$354, or seventy-one per cent.

The Conference Claimants' Fund was increased from \$2,193 to \$5,336—a gain of \$3,143, or one hundred and forty-three per cent.

Full ministerial support has increased from \$46,150 to \$62,516—a gain of \$16,366, or thirty-five per cent.

Benevolences have increased in five years from a total of \$22,138 to \$32,309—gain, \$10,171, or forty-six per cent.

The membership has increased from 11,626 to 16,540—gain, 4,914, or forty-four per cent.

I come to the close of this six years' term as Superintendent of Fort Wayne District with a heightened esteem for the ministry and laymen of the Methodist Episcopal Church, and with a very much keener realization of the importance and difficulty of our work. They have been six strenuous years without a vacation. Every year we have gone forward. Our advance is a matter of record. We have nothing of which to boast. We have everything for which to be thankful. I love the church better; I love the ministry better; I love God better because of these six years. I have found these pastors to be devoted, energetic, consecrated men of God. The parsonage homes have been places of welcome and delight. I thank my God for every one of them. I love these devoted servants and appreciate the privilege of being a toiler with them. The fellowship with them has grown dearer and dearer each year,

“And if our fellowship below

In Jesus be so sweet,

What heights of rapture shall we know

When round his throne we meet.”

GOSHEN DISTRICT.**R. J. Wade, District Superintendent.**

Bishop McDowell and Brothers: In the moments immediately after the adjournment of the last session of our Conference, I managed to grasp the hand of Bishop McDowell as he was departing, to say, "Bishop, you have given me a hard job, but I will do my best." I am now ready to render account as to that "best." Whatever has been accomplished has been the result of the very hearty cooperation, for the most part, of the splendid, intelligent, and willing laymen of Goshen District, and as fine a body of pastors as can be found anywhere.

Pastoral Changes.—F. W. Chapman was appointed at the last Conference, through misunderstanding, to the Clunette charge. He might complete his studies. Studies completed, he was appointed September 1 to the Goshen Circuit, where, in spite of three months' illness and an operation for appendicitis, he has served to the satisfaction of the people, who desire his return. His work has been generously cared for by neighboring pastors, gospel teams, and a local preacher, C. D. Inebnit. W. H. Menaugh, former Superintendent of Public Schools of Albion, was secured for Clunette. Brother Menaugh will ask and deserves admission to the Conference. Upon the resignation of R. J. Crider from the Goshen Circuit, September 1, a new charge—the Elkhart Circuit—was created by taking Willow Creek from the Goshen Circuit, Pleasant Valley and California from Simpson Memorial, to unite with Osolo Chapel, an abandoned church, resurrected early in the year by the gospel teams of Trinity, Elkhart. Lake Schoolhouse appointment was taken from the Bristol charge, at the request of Bristol, and added to the Goshen Circuit, Bristol and Simpson Memorial becoming stations, each paying a salary of \$1,000, efficiently served by D. C. Beatty and K. H. Carlson. The new Elkhart Circuit was served until January 1 by Justin Morrison, a senior in Northwestern University, son of R. A. Morrison; since that time, by W. Weyman Dragoo, who has demonstrated his worth and call to the ministry. Foster Chapel, detached from Bourbon, has prospered under the care of J. S. Cain, who, though retired in name, has been active in toil.



R. J. Wade.

Retired Ministers.—Of the retired ministers, Brothers J. B. Cook, A. J. Carey, E. L. Semans, C. H. Murray, and C. H. Wilkinson, in addition to Brother Cain, have rendered much helpful and active service; while Brothers Welch and Paschall have been patient sufferers at home, and Brothers Hasty and Kemper have been renewing strength and youth in the sunshine of California. We have welcomed into our territory for residence Brothers G. W. Keisling, at Milford Junction, and J. M. Haines, at Warsaw.

Death's Toll.—Early in the year the call to the better world came to Mrs. Anna Lynch, widow of the late Rev. C. W. Lynch, of honored name in our Conference. The funeral was conducted by her pastor,

A. G. Neal. Death's toll was taken among our younger men when Franklin A. Reichelderfer, aged forty-one, after heroic struggle, at Harlan, October 10, at 3:30 P. M., breathed his last. He had hoped against hope to again stand as a herald of the cross. His first definite stand for Christ was taken at a Thursday night prayer meeting. His last charge was Topeka. Genial, true, one of the best of men, friend of God, he passed beyond, leaving the message, "Tell my brethren the gospel is sufficient." The funeral was held at Harlan, in charge of the pastor, S. I. Zechiel, assisted by J. A. Beatty, the writer, and others. The address was made by S. Light. Henry W. Bennett completed the earthly life toward the close of 1915 at Warsaw. The special funeral address was given by C. U. Wade. This distinguished preacher and administrator had given thirty-eight years to the ministry. He served well the Goshen District from 1903 to 1908, and may be remembered, among other things, as the originator of that time-tested district institution, now so largely accepted, known as Settlement Day.

The gentle, kindly spirit of William Lash took its flight at 10:30 o'clock Friday night, February 11. Brother Lash had given to the Conference almost as many years as it has been my privilege to serve, but he had necessarily occupied the retired relation for thirty years—a longer time than any one upon our Conference list last year. The home life has been characterized by the monumental devotion of son and daughter, George E. Lash and Mrs. Minnie Ervin. J. C. White conducted the service, assisted by the District Superintendent and local pastors. Brothers Lash, Bennett, and Sister Lynch were buried at Warsaw, A. G. Neal in charge of the services.

The homes of the laymen have not been exempt from the visits of Death's messenger. Warsaw's membership has been depleted by twenty-two deaths, the largest number, while we are obliged to chronicle the passing of some of the district's outstanding laymen: E. G. Eberhart, of Mishawaka; Albert Mutschler, of Nappanee; Harrison W. Godfrey, of Elkhart, and Judge John H. Baker, of Goshen.

Upon the day that the last Conference adjourned, April 12, that elect woman and princely giver, Mrs. Maggie Brothwell, of Rome City, passed beyond, leaving her estate, \$5,000, plus her home, to be the possession of and to be occupied by the Secretary of the Preachers' Aid Society; additional money and two hundred and thirty-six acres of fine land to the Board of Foreign Missions—a specified life interest reserved.

Veterans' Day.—Sunday, June 27, was observed as Veterans' Day. On that day, or succeeding Sabbath, the graves of every minister and wife in the district were decorated with flowers. In some instances prayers, addresses, and songs were offered; in one place the graves of all Methodist people were remembered. Why not a universal Methodist Memorial Sunday?

Births.—Death laid hold at birth of Helen Louise, daughter of D. C. Beatty and wife; while little visitors from Babyland tarry in the homes of Brothers and Sisters Boase, Royer, and Wyant.

Civic Righteousness.—Through the forbearance of my successor, Brother J. C. White, I was permitted to retain my residence in Trinity parsonage until I could cast a clean dry vote in the Elkhart local option election. While our forces did not win on that day, the doom of the saloon in Elkhart was forecasted by reducing the majority from 305 to 108, or from 806 in 1909 to 108 in 1915; likewise in Ligonier from 133 to 55; in Kendallville, from 264 to 23, while Goshen changed from 32 wet to 221 dry, driving out eleven iniquitous saloons. Blind-tiger keepers have been hunted, found, caught, tried, convicted, and converted. Our preachers preach a gospel suited at once to the worst and best of men.

District Meetings.—A promising pastors' and stewards' meeting was held May 25 in First Church, Goshen; the June Epworth League convention assembled over two hundred delegates in Butler, our easternmost point; the Woman's Home Missionary Society met in Trinity, Elkhart, while the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society held an equally good district convention in Middlebury; our Sunday School and Religious Workers' Institute was favorably located in Mishawaka, visited by experts William S. Bovard, H. C. Wilson, J. V. Thompson, J. M. Avann, J. G. Benson, Kirk W. Robbins, and Bishop McDowell. Our follow-up campaign was carried successfully to every charge and is to be the basis, I am informed, of all the institute work of the Board of Sunday Schools for this summer. Settlement Day in Inwood was marked not only by thrilling financial reports, but by an earnest desire to carry out the provisions of Methodism's Forward Movement. To this end a prayer hour—6 P. M.—was designated during January and February, when the country church bell, together with the Mishawaka chimes, summoned simultaneously our fourteen thousand Goshen District Methodists to pause and pray. It was a suggestion worth while and extensively carried out, not only by the 1,292 signers of the Prayer Covenant and 1,593 members of the Time Legion, but by many others. Is there not something worth while suggested to us in that great painting, "The Angelus"?

Etna Green was the District Conference host. The revival spirit was in the air. Bishop McDowell preached the opening sermon on "Repentance," and at the close four young men bowed at the altar to give their hearts to God. Addresses by W. B. Hollingshead, Dr. C. S. Wood, B. S. Hollopeter, Mrs. E. R. Graham, and others stirred and inspired for the closing efforts of the year.

Church Building.—Waterloo charge, S. F. Harter, pastor, has either built, rebuilt, or arranged to rebuild every one of the four churches. Phoenix-like a fine new Barker's Chapel, costing \$6,000, arose from the ashes of the fire. This model country church was dedicated October 28 by former pastor Dr. W. D. Parr, assisted by the present pastor and the District Superintendent. A basement, at a cost of \$1,000, was placed under the Waterloo church, and reopened by the District Superintendent. Eight hundred dollars is being expended on Memorial Chapel, and Norris Chapel has similar plans. Butler early in the year redecorated, repaired the church at a cost of \$500, and paid off the parsonage debt; Corunna reroofed, while arrangements have been made for the removal of the Custer church one mile and a half to the town of Helmer, giving it a new and larger lease of life; Milford church has been redecorated; beautiful new windows placed in First Church, Goshen, and repairs made to the usual number of churches and parsonages.

Wolcottville has modernized their church through an expenditure of \$8,000. All but \$1,000 of this amount has been paid, and that more than secured by good subscriptions. The reopening day was January 9, Dr. J. C. White, of Trinity, Elkhart, and the District Superintendent preaching the sermons. The Etna Green Methodists rejoice in a fine new church costing upwards of \$15,000, and easily worth \$18,000. It is a marvel both as to workmanship and size of enterprise to be successfully undertaken in a town of less than five hundred people. The church was dedicated February 6, Dr. W. D. Parr raising \$8,000, as usual with him, more than the amount yet needed to pay all bills. The largest enterprise of the year in the Conference has been that so victoriously led in Warsaw by that veteran pastor, A. G. Neal, who is confidently expected to return for his eighth year. The corner-stone was laid on Sunday, May 16, 1915, by Bishop McDowell, and the church likewise dedicated by him Sunday, January 16. When the

question of raising the additional subscriptions needed was broached by the Building and Finance Committee to the District Superintendent, he immediately suggested and urged a whirlwind canvass for Thanksgiving week. The plans were carried out, and on Sunday night Brother Neal announced that after a hard battle the \$25,000 needed had been fully subscribed. A total of \$72,000 in subscriptions has been taken, enough to cover interest and shrinkage. The building is architecturally beautiful and exceedingly practical in design. It has the largest basement in the Conference, including dining hall, gymnasium, shower bath, kitchen, and cloak rooms. The magnificent auditorium is directly under the great dome, flanked on three sides with large balconies. The Groves Sunday-school auditorium connects to the east; the acoustic properties are perfect; five beautiful entrances admit you—yes, and will admit **you** when you come to Warsaw, as you will, to the 1917 session of the North Indiana Conference.

The fine new Nappanee church, costing \$35,000, hastens to completion. The corner-stone was laid by the District Superintendent Sunday afternoon, September 5. Brother Powell has been instant in season and out of season; a great revival has been held; a splendid new parsonage, costing \$4,000, purchased and entered, and the outlook for the future is glorious. The new church will probably be dedicated in May.

Simpson Memorial, Elkhart, was badly damaged by fire in mid-winter. Ample insurance had fortunately been carried, so that in ten days the money was in bank for repairs. In connection with these repairs certain valuable changes have been made, a new furnace installed, the entire basement excavated, new pews ordered, and the reopening will occur about Easter.

Splendid progress has been made in the liquidation of the Saint Paul debt under the masterly leadership of that Napoleon of church finance, R. A. Morrison. The huge debt has finally been hewed down to \$14,400, and another year of similar activity under his direction ought to save the project to our Methodism.

New Charges.—During the year a new Elkhart Circuit was formed, as has been stated. Two more new charges are to be created within this Conference. Howe, South Milford, and Corunna each ask to give up one point, but continue to pay the same salaries to their successful pastors, C. A. Hile, V. L. Clear, and R. R. Detweiler. Mongo is the new charge, to pay at least \$800, with Plato and East Springfield the out-appointments. Waterloo advances to station dimensions, on the condition that S. F. Harter is the pastor, at a salary larger than the entire charge paid a year ago. This necessitates the formation of a Waterloo Circuit. Kimmel and Cromwell promise the same salary to G. E. Whitten that the three-point work paid last year.

Salaries.—The support of pastors alone has been increased this year \$3,400, while arrangements have already been made for an increase next year aggregating more than \$2,500. The larger apportionment for Conference Claimants was accepted in good faith, every dollar apportioned, and claims will be pro-rated.

Benevolences.—A remarkable thing has happened and, according to Dr. W. B. Hollingshead, a result unique in Methodism has been achieved. Every single charge on Goshen District has pulled up, and not down, on apportioned benevolences. We tried it last year, but some charges failed ultimately. We tried it again this year and we have won out at every point. This has not been at the expense of the other benevolences. All will advance. Foreign Missions increases \$621; Home Missions, \$558; total apportioned benevolences, \$1,445, and others in proportion. The district will give this year for Foreign Missions to the parent Board the round sum of \$8,000.

These figures are the result of education, inspiration, consecration, heroic giving, and faithful work upon the part of both pastors and laymen. We expect to advance all along the line. We have been nobly supported by the agencies of the women. Several auxiliaries of the Woman's Home Missionary Society have been organized, while the itinerary of Miss Bertha Creek resulted in fifteen new organizations of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.

Conversions.—Over twelve hundred conversions have been reported. This is not as large a number as some years have produced. There have been no tabernacle or union campaigns to swell the total. It is the record of faithful, consistent work on the part of pastors and people. It does not spell the failure of the Methodist Forward Movement; it tells us that we have just begun to use our strength and direct our activities. We have sought to overcome the change of enumeration of full members in the elimination of non-resident members from the total, according to the ruling of the Board of Bishops. We have thus lost 497, but the net gain will be perhaps a similar number. The largest number of conversions and accessions reported is from Mishawaka—over 200 conversions and 165 accessions, the pastor, L. M. Edwards, again for the fourth successive year leading the campaign personally and lifting the charge in that time from a membership of 703 to 1,300. Conversions ranging from 20 to 93 have been reported from Corunna, Topeka, Howe, Warsaw, Elkhart (Trinity), Leesburg, Tippecanoe, Kimmel, Wakarusa, Waterloo, Nappanee, LaGrange, and Etna Green.

J. W. Oborn, Conference evangelist, reports three hundred and seventy sermons and addresses, more than one thousand converts and special consecrations, and great victory in some of the hardest and most difficult fields yet encountered. He says: "I would like to give this testimony: wherever we have found card playing and dancing we have found spiritual life at a low ebb and soul-saving a hard job." He regrets absence from the Conference session, but is in the midst of a gracious awakening at Belvidere, Illinois, where, last Sunday, seventy-six claimed to be converted, and fully as many more came forward to reconsecrate themselves to God, which meant for many to give up cards and dancing. A large number of young men were among the converts. Brother Oborn desires to be continued in the present relation.

Closing Observations.—To keep pace with the retreating footsteps of my efficient predecessor, to build upon foundations already laid, to pull up instead of down where intensest zeal had everywhere before been manifest, has been no easy task—no holiday affair. That this has been done is because District Superintendent, pastors, and people alike have been imbued with the spirit of Maltbie D. Babcock when he sang:

"Be strong!

We are not here to play, to dream, to drift;

We have hard work to do, and loads to lift.

Shun not the struggle, face it, 'tis God's gift,

Be strong, be strong!"

I have missed no appointment; I have held every Quarterly Conference; I have preached every Sunday from two to four times, and mid-week I have spoken on every possible occasion. The energies of District Superintendent and pastors have not been dissipated in chasing elusive General Conference bees. I have added twelve pounds to my weight; I have walked to appointments many a day from five to twelve miles; I have done that which hitherto has been impossible by the use of the automobile; I have accepted with all good conscience

every dollar that has been paid me. There are features of the superintendency exceedingly unpleasant; I did all that a Methodist preacher should do to keep out of it, but now that I am in it, like Teddy of old, "I like my job," and I am more than ever before convinced that it is the most efficient piece of machinery in the possession of the church when worked.

I close with this observation of Bishop Asbury, found in a letter written to the Rev. Solomon Sharp, December 18, 1805: "Every preacher has need of the wisdom of Solomon, the patience of Job, the rectitude of Samuel, the courage of Joshua, the meekness of Moses, the zeal of Peter and Paul, and love of John. . . . Those of us that superintend have need of great grace; Jesus speaks, and speaks to thee, 'My grace is sufficient for thee.'" Trusting in that grace, helped by that grace, we have this year labored, and wherever He through the church shall direct, we will labor yet again.

LOGANSFORT DISTRICT.

B. S. Hollopeter, District Superintendent.

Bishop and Brethren: I wish, first of all, to record my sincere gratitude to the heavenly Father for permitting me to close one of the best of the thirty years of my ministry, and the most prosperous year we have had on the Logansfort District.



B. S. Hollopeter.

Only one change of pastors has taken place during the year. H. B. Fisher, who was supplying Alto, gave up his work July 1, and G. L. Hixon was secured to take his place.

Mrs. T. H. C. Beal, wife of our retired brother, went to her heavenly home February 11. They had walked together in sweet companionship for over fifty years.

P. J. Albright has been in poor health during the entire year, and much of the time was not able to leave his home.

L. A. Beeks, who was confined to his home for many months on account of illness, has spent the winter in the South, and is very much improved. No other death or serious sickness has come to our homes during the year.

Church and Parsonage Property.—

There are 83 churches and 41 parsonage in the district. Ten of these churches are furnished with pipe organs, 59 have pianos, and the others with organs. Thirty-eight are lighted with electricity; 29 parsonages have this same luxury. The churches and parsonage homes are generally in good repair. Some need extensive improvement, and others should be replaced by new buildings.

New Societies.—A new church of fifty members has been organized at Peoria and made a part of Santa Fe charge. George W. Bailor found a church here that was owned by the community. The people were divided, with no one denomination strong enough to maintain regular services. The proposition was made to them to deed the building to the Methodist Episcopal Church and all become Meth-

odists. This they did, and after a two weeks' meeting, in which Dr. T. M. Guild, one of our Conference Evangelists, rendered valuable assistance, a church was fully organized.

Steps are being taken to organize a new church at Fairfield, five miles south of Kokomo.

A Sunday school has been started in the northwest part of Kokomo by Dr. Freeland and workers from Grace Church. The rapid development of this city will make other efforts of this kind necessary in the near future.

Improvements on Churches and Parsonages.—Beamer Chapel, in Kokomo, has been raised and a well-equipped basement put under it. The main room has been redecorated and in many ways improved, at a cost of \$1,600. When Everett Nixon became pastor of this church, two years ago, it was about ready to disband, but now it is one of the promising churches of the district. Good revivals, both at Beamer and Cassville, have resulted in large increase in membership and a general bettering of the community.

The church at Converse has received extensive repairs. A new furnace installed, all at a cost of \$1,000, every cent of which was raised by the pastor, M. B. Graham. Notwithstanding the good record of this church in the past, the benevolences will be in advance of last year.

Wheatland Street, Logansport, has modernized their parsonage at a cost of \$1,000. E. C. Dunn, the pastor, is closing his eighth year of very successful service in this church. He found this church struggling to pay an \$850 salary, and leaves it paying \$1,200. It then had a small Sunday school, and now the school averages 235.

Debts Paid.—Fourteen charges have freed themselves of debts. About one half of the debts reported to the Conference last year are now paid. This district has long been noted for its burdensome debts, but it is soon to lose this unenviable distinction.

The most alarming case of debt was at Windfall, where a \$27,000 church was built in a village of less than one thousand people and a church membership of two hundred. A change of pastors was made in the midst of their building; Dr. Marble, who was then the District Superintendent, gave the most careful attention to the selection of a man who could successfully manage this very large and complicated church enterprise. W. E. Hamilton was the man chosen. He harmonized the church, finished the building, managed its dedication, and financed the matter so skillfully that they are now out of all danger of a calamity; \$8,300 in cash has been paid on the debt this year, and only about \$4,000 remains. A good revival also stands to the credit of this faithful man of God, with an increase of thirty per cent in membership of the church.

At Twelve Mile the last \$1,000 of debt on their beautiful new church was rounded up by the pastor, L. J. Sheldon. This is the first year for this country church as a station, and they have met every claim for salary and benevolences in full, and more.

Main Street, Kokomo, has had a most remarkable year. Late in the fall the pastor, James A. Sprague, inaugurated a campaign to free the church of a \$7,000 debt. It was started with a great church rally on December 12, when Dr. George R. Grose, President of DePauw University, was present and preached a great sermon. Dr. W. D. Parr started the ten days' campaign of money raising. Teams had been organized for this purpose, and they followed up with splendid success. At the end of the time a banquet was held in the basement of the church, at which reports were made. They found that \$9,413 had been secured. The pastor was assisted in a revival service for three weeks by E. M. Dunbar. Over 200 souls were converted, and a net

gain of 175 was secured to the church membership. The Sunday school has an average of 654 for the year. The salary was raised to \$2,000, and a fifty per cent increase made in benevolent collections, and for the first time paying all claims in full.

Amboy has reduced their debt this year \$4,000, under the leadership of C. A. Byrt, the pastor. Men have given one fourth or one third of all they were worth to secure this church and free it from debt. A debt of \$5,000 still remains.

The Pleasant Hill Church, on the Gilead charge, has cleared its debt of \$600. C. B. Thomas has brought this charge up to a high point of effective service for the Kingdom.

The long-standing debt at Elwood has been reduced \$1,500 this year, and plans are now being made to clear the church of all encumbrance by July 15, 1916. The pastor, J. F. Radcliffe, was instrumental in securing the Stephens party for a great tabernacle meeting, which resulted in great good to the city and added two hundred and fifty new members to our church. The pastor will return to this charge for the fifth year with an increase of \$100 in his salary.

A \$2,000 debt on Grace Church, Kokomo, has been paid during the year. The salary was increased to \$2,300. This church has taken the support of C. F. Hartzell, a missionary of South America, paying the full salary of a missionary. There will be an increase of fifty per cent in the benevolent collections over last year. This will put the church in third, if not in second place in the Conference in the amount of money contributed for benevolent purposes.

Market Street, Logansport, reduced their debt \$1,300 this year, leaving but \$4,500. The Sunday school is one of the best in the district. W. A. Griest is the successful pastor.

Broadway, Logansport, has taken on new life, with Dr. A. W. Lowther as their pastor. A floating debt of \$1,600 has been paid. The salary was raised to \$2,000. A vested choir has been organized to lead the music. No man in the district has received more hearty invitation to return than this popular pastor.

Revivals.—It is encouraging to know that more of our pastors feel the responsibility of holding their own revival meetings than in former years. When we get to see that the call to soul-winning is a personal matter for every preacher, and we can no more delegate this to others than we can the saying of our prayers, we can expect better things for the church. The largest ingathering was from the tabernacle meeting at Elwood. The largest number of conversions in any single meeting was at Main Street, Kokomo, where 200 were converted. At Denver, 101 were converted. L. G. Jacobs will make the best report on benevolences he has ever made.

W. E. McPheeters, of Sheridan, held his own meeting, and it was one of old-time power, resulting in sixty-six conversions, with a net increase in membership of ninety. His benevolences will be increased fifty per cent. The salary will also be increased for next year to \$1,400.

C. W. Montgomery has again had good revivals at each point on the Boxley charge, resulting in eighty-five conversions. His faithful services here for the past four years have brought the salary to \$1,000, secured benevolences in full for each year, and prepared the way for a new church at Boxley.

Galveston has had the greatest awakening in its history. George E. Garrison has received eighty-seven people into the church, and new life has come to every department of the work.

Anoka and Bethel, with C. E. Dunlap as the pastor, has had a good revival, in which thirty-five were converted and united with the church. The church at Anoka has been cleared of debt, and the benevolent collections are more than full.

Charles H. Smith has been master of the situation at Peru from the day he arrived in the city. He held a meeting in which sixty-five were converted, but the revival has been on all the year. The Sunday school has an average for the year of five hundred and twenty-four, and paid \$312 for missions. The Epworth League is one of the largest, and pays more to missions than any other League in the district. Over one hundred have been added to the church, and the salary set at \$2,000 for next year.

H. L. Liddle's work at Walton has been fruitful in a splendid revival, where thirty-five were converted; also of an increase of \$100 in benevolent collections. A subscription has been taken for a new and modern parsonage.

Russiaville has had a great revival. John F. Edwards did his own preaching, while Brother Sand assisted in the singing. Hardened sinners flocked to the altar and gave themselves to God. The collections have been greatly increased, and the salary has been set at \$1,100 for next year.

W. C. Asay is on his fourth year of a very successful pastorate at Sharpsville. He has held a good revival each year, and raised his benevolences in full. The new financial plan has been adopted for next year.

A two weeks' meeting at Greentown resulted in thirty conversions. L. M. Krider will report the largest collections in the history of this charge. They are getting ready to build a new church.

The continued revival at Onward, on the New Waverly charge, has made it one of the best of our country churches. John Parker was sent there as a supply five years ago. The salary was \$570, and this not paid in full. The church has grown so strong under his faithful ministry that the membership is doubled and they now pay \$1,000 salary, and want him returned to them for the sixth year.

J. W. Walters has made such an impression on Kempton that a score of her leading citizens came to Kokomo two weeks ago to request his return.

No better work is being done anywhere in the district than B. M. Bechdolt is doing at Roann. The churches were revived and the benevolent collections far in advance of their past good record.

It would be hard to find a church that is better pleased with their pastor than Tipton is with Arthur Cates. The young people are very active and the League is one of the best. The benevolences have greatly increased, and the salary will be increased for next year.

F. A. Wimer has had a good revival at Mexico, in which twenty-eight were converted. The salary has been raised to \$900. The benevolences doubled. A fine little daughter came to the parsonage a few days ago.

Two years ago A. C. Hoover was sent to the hardest task in the district, at Hillisburg and Florida. Good revivals have not only resulted from his labors, but a complete change has come to the moral tone of the place. They have shown their appreciation by increasing his salary to \$1,000.

The pastors' reports show that fifteen hundred have been converted during the year. Nearly every charge has had a revival, and a splendid increase in membership has been shared with almost every charge.

Benevolent Collections.—Dr. J. M. Taylor, with five of his helpers, came to the district early in October and conducted a campaign of education on world-wide evangelism. This was followed by one-day missionary meetings on each charge, under the leadership of nine chairmen of groups. It was of great value to both pastors and people, as shown by the substantial increase in the collections.

The group in which B. M. Bechdolt, of Roann; C. B. Thomas, of Gilead; G. E. Hughes, of Akron, and E. H. Kennedy, of Macy, were associated with L. G. Jacobs, their chairman, raised \$250 special offering during the weeks of their convention, for a frontier church. This is to be called "Cloud Chapel," in honor of the largest donor.

The charge that has led the district in per capita giving for several years is Goldsmith. LeRoy Myers became the pastor of this splendid people one year ago. The collections this year have gone far ahead of any previous record. They will continue to lead the district, if not the Conference, in this good work.

All but four charges pulled up on benevolent collections, and the total increase is \$3,400 on the regular collections, including Conference Claimants.

The Forward Movement was heartily adopted by the district, and we will contribute our full share toward reaching the goal set for our Methodism.

We have had the great pleasure of licensing ten young men to preach. Five of these are now in DePauw University, three in Taylor, and two in other schools, preparing for their work.

The Women's Work.—The Ladies' Aid Society is "a present help in every time of need," and a power in the church for good at all times. It contributes in a large way to the material and social needs, and is the mother of many church buildings and parsonages.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society has doubled the number of auxiliaries in the district, with two besides. They have increased their giving by twenty-five per cent over any previous year. The Woman's Home Missionary Society has organized new auxiliaries. One of these has seventy-five members.

The Epworth Leagues of the district are supporting J. F. Cottingham, a District Superintendent in the Philippine Islands, for the second year. Many of the chapters have been renewed. A very helpful convention was held at Anoka in the month of June.

A campaign was inaugurated in the district to raise the balance of the \$10,000 apportioned for the Preachers' Aid Society. The day set for taking the collection was December 12. Notwithstanding snow and ice, the collection was good. The small amount that yet remains to be raised will be forthcoming in a few weeks.

There are eleven retired ministers living within the bounds of the district. They are true men of God and love the church, for which they gave the best of their lives. It is very gratifying to know that a larger support will come to them this year.

Ministerial Support.—Sixteen charges increased their salaries at the beginning of the year. The whole amount of increase was \$2,500. Sixteen have already raised their salaries for next year.

I am under deep obligations to the pastors of the district for their hearty cooperation in every district plan I have suggested during the year. Our district meetings were attended by every man who could get there. They have labored faithfully and well, and the consolation of victory is in their hearts.

MUNCIE DISTRICT.

C. E. Line, District Superintendent.

Dear Bishop and Brethren: In this, my sixth and last annual report, I rejoice to announce that during the year no active preacher or retired preacher of the district has died, and no preacher's wife or

preacher's widow has passed away. There has been just one death in a parsonage; on the 8th of March, Mary Elizabeth Lutes, the little daughter of Brother and Sister E. E. Lutes, slipped out of the parsonage home at Westfield to be with the Great Lover of children. She was a beautiful child of not quite four years old. On the 10th of March the funeral service was held in the Westfield Church, conducted by the District Superintendent, assisted by F. A. Hall, C. M. Hobbs, and P. H. Walter. The following day the little form was laid to rest at Andrews, Indiana. Brother and Sister Lutes have our sympathy and prayers.

Retired Preachers.—We have sixteen retired preachers assigned to the district, thirteen of whom are living within the bounds of the district. These retired brethren are men of God, true and loyal to the church, and happy in the twilight of their lives. Brother J. W. McDaniel has moved back from White Cloud, Michigan, to Normal City. We are glad to have him living in our midst again.

Local Preachers.—There are thirty-two local preachers in the district, some of whom are Sunday-school Superintendents, others are teachers in the Sunday schools, others are successful supplies, and they are a body of men who are doing service for the Kingdom. Brother T. E. Thomas, a local preacher of High Street Church, is doing a noble work in the evangelistic field. Brother H. C. Marsh, another local preacher of High Street Church, for years has conducted a Sunday afternoon religious service in the Delaware County jail. In these Sunday afternoon services he touches many lives and influences many to accept Jesus Christ. Many will arise in the last day and call him blessed.

Marriages.—March 21, D. V. Williams and Abigail C. Secrist were married in the home of the bride at Alexandria, Bishop McDowell officiating, assisted by the District Superintendent. We extend our congratulations to our worthy Conference Secretary and his wife.

Births.—During the year a son was born to W. W. Wiant and wife, and a daughter to O. B. Young and wife, and a son to B. V. Hargitt and wife. May these little folks live to be a blessing to their parents!

Changes.—At Conference, Matthews was left to be supplied. For several weeks the charge was supplied by Loren Ross, a former pastor, now a local preacher; then O. B. Young, a member of the Indiana Conference, was transferred to Matthews. He has given great satisfaction. In the fall A. E. Chastain, of Alexandria Circuit, was transferred to the Indiana Conference, and Julius Pfeiffer, of the Indiana Conference, was transferred to Alexandria. Since he has been transferred he has given nearly all his time to revival meetings on his charge.

In August, John Jones, of Yorktown, was transferred to the East Maine Conference, and Charles Pitman, of the Maine Conference, was transferred to Yorktown. It cannot be said of him, as it was said of Cæsar, "He came, he saw, he conquered," but it can be said of him, "He came, he saw, he skedaddled," and is now preaching for the Reformed Episcopalians in a suburb of Atlantic City, New Jersey, and



C. E. Line.

desires to withdraw from the membership and ministry of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

During the session of the Indiana Conference last fall, V. B. Hargitt was transferred from that Conference to Yorktown. We are glad to have Brother Hargitt a member of our Conference.

In the fall Brother L. E. Markin, of Middletown, broke down in health and surrendered his work. W. W. Brown, a retired preacher of our Conference, living in Muncie, was appointed to supply Middletown until Conference. He has been a great success in increasing the benevolences and looking after all the interests of the church.

District Meetings.—The District Epworth League Convention was held at High Street Church. The program was an excellent one. Bishop William F. Anderson was present, and delivered a great address.

Epworth League rallies were held at First Church (Noblesville), Summitville, Grace Church (Hartford City), and Pendleton.

W. W. Wiant, W. W. Martin, L. M. Edwards, and Eugene Allen delivered addresses at these rallies.

The Sunday-school Institute was held at First Church, Anderson, November 11 and 12. William S. Bovard, James V. Thompson, and Mrs. Mary Foster Bryner constituted the Faculty. At the close of the institute a cultured Presbyterian lady said to Dr. Allen, the pastor, that for years she had been attending Winona, but she had never heard finer addresses than were delivered at this Sunday-school institute.

The campaign for information concerning the benevolences was conducted by three returned missionaries: M. A. Rader, of the Philippines; L. Linzel, of India; R. L. Archer, of Malaysia. Group meetings were held at Noblesville, Alexandria, (First Church) Anderson, (Madison Street) Muncie, and Hartford City.

Dr. Tipple, of Rome, delivered an address at First Church, Noblesville, and Bishop Warne delivered an address at Hartford City. These three returned missionaries tried to reach every charge in the district. They delivered fine addresses, and the hearts of the people were with them. They are supporting their work to a large extent by special gifts. We have been trying to reduce the special gifts for missions to a minimum; their itinerary through the district revived again the question of special gifts. In some of the charges members have turned their missionary giving entirely to special gifts, thus reducing the regular gifts, making it difficult for pastors to raise their missionary apportionments. The Board of Foreign Missions ought to have a policy concerning special gifts. If retired missionaries are permitted to make these itineraries, and people are persuaded to give only to these special causes, then the pastors ought to be allowed to count these special gifts on their missionary apportionments. The Board of Foreign Missions ought to have a definite policy concerning this important question.

The District Conference was held at Normal City (Muncie), March 1-3. Bishop McDowell delivered the opening address. The entire program was superb, the attendance large, and the spirit fine. It is considered the best District Conference during the six years of my administration.

Preachers' Aid Society.—The Preachers' Aid Campaign has been pushed during the year. At the last Conference I reported \$6,657 subscribed of the \$10,000 allotted to our district. This year I report \$10,670 subscribed, which lets the Muncie District out on the \$10,000 proposition.

Salaries.—Many of the charges have made a substantial increase in the salaries of their pastors: Albany, \$200; Park Place, without

Daleville, \$150; Carmel, \$100; Daleville and Mount Tabor, \$100; Fortville, \$100; Grace Church, Hartford City, \$100; Hartford City Circuit, \$150; Ingalls, \$100; Lapel, \$200; Middletown, \$200; Avondale, Muncie, \$50; First Church, Noblesville, \$200; Noblesville Circuit, \$200; Selma and Mount Pleasant, without Mount Tabor, \$150.

Damaged Churches.—On March 22 a tornado swept across the State of Indiana, many miles in width. It just touched the northern part of the district. The church at Roll had the roof partially torn off and some of the windows blown in. Asbury Church was moved from its foundation. These two churches will have to be repaired.

New Churches.—The old church at Lapel was almost entirely torn down and practically rebuilt, at a cost of \$17,000. It is one of the most convenient, beautiful, and commodious churches of the Conference. It has been built for Sunday-school equipment. It has twenty-eight different rooms, each heated with steam heat. Mr. Carnegie gave \$1,000 on the pipe organ; the organ is one of the best in the Conference. March 5 was a great day for this church. Dr. Parr was present, preached a great sermon, and with great success managed the finances. He asked for \$8,500. In the evening the giving became so hilarious that he could not stop them from giving. The total subscriptions during the day amounted to about \$11,000. P. E. Greenwalt, the pastor, and the people are very happy over the outcome of the enterprise.

Six charges have made improvements costing over \$500: Noblesville Circuit, \$875; High Street, \$850; Noblesville, \$801; Gaston, \$700; First Church, Anderson, \$600; Perkinsville, \$550.

Five charges between \$200 and \$500: Fishers, \$469; Matthews, \$432; Avondale, Muncie, \$350; Daleville, \$300; Shideler, \$225.

Six charges between \$100 and \$200: Summitville Circuit, \$165; Hartford City, \$160; Jolietville, \$150; Alexandria Circuit, \$140; Noble Street, Anderson, \$117; Desoto, \$109.

Eight charges have made improvements costing less than \$100, as follows: Albany, Alexandria, Eaton, Middletown, Madison Street (Muncie), Normal City (Muncie), Westfield, and Yorktown.

A new parsonage has been purchased at Roll, and will be improved and repaired. Brother E. E. DeWitt has done a great work at Desoto in rebuilding the parsonage at a cost of \$1,122, and all paid. Middletown has spent \$306 on its parsonage; Westfield, \$210; Noble Street, \$151; High Street, \$150, and Hartford City, \$100.

Fourteen churches have improved their parsonages at a cost of less than \$100: Alexandria Circuit, Indiana Avenue, Fishers, Fortville, Gaston, Matthews, Avondale, Madison Street, Whitely, Noblesville Circuit, Pendleton, Perkinsville, Selma, and Yorktown.

The amount of church and parsonage improvements total \$27,793, —a great gain over last year. The amount paid in church and parsonage improvements amounts to \$22,023—a gain over last year.

Old Debts.—This has been a good year for reducing church debts. Alexandria, \$3,200; High Street, \$1,650; Perkinsville, \$1,300; Yorktown, \$617; Park Place, \$600; Westfield, \$550; Summitville Circuit, \$500; Carmel, \$500; Matthews, \$216; Noblesville, \$200; Noble Street, \$151; New Burlington, \$140; Noblesville Ct., \$136; and Madison Street, \$125—amounting to \$9,894—a gain over last year, and reducing the present indebtedness on church and parsonage property to less than \$20,000. Last year it was over \$27,000.

There have been two heroic efforts made to relieve two churches' indebtedness, one at Alexandria and one at Westfield. The debt at Alexandria has been of old standing; it has prevented other improvements being made. The church was not even paying the interest on the mortgage. All summer the pastor, D. V. Williams, has worked

faithfully in raising subscriptions, until all the indebtedness has been paid.

Westfield Church has been burdened with a debt of about \$1,000. The pastor, E. E. Lutes, conducted a community fair, which was a success and, with additional subscriptions, has paid off and provided for all the indebtedness.

These two brethren deserve credit for the work they have accomplished.

Auxiliaries of the Church.—To give a detailed report of these auxiliaries of the church would make this report too long. The Sunday schools of the district are growing and improving; the enrollment of the men's adult Bible classes still exceed the enrollment of the ladies' Bible classes. Many churches are facing the problem of more adequate room for the Sunday school. This is especially true at Avondale, Muncie, where the Sunday school is so large that they have had to divide it and hold two sessions.

Epworth Leagues.—There are twenty-six chapters, the same as last year, in the district. These young people are faithful and loyal to the church.

Junior Leagues.—The problem in the Junior League work is to obtain a Junior League Superintendent who is adapted to the work, and who will willingly sacrifice some of his or her time for the work. If this problem could be solved in many of the churches, the Junior League chapters would increase in numbers and in membership.

Ladies' Aid Societies.—Last year there were fifty-five of these societies; this year, sixty-five. They have raised thousands of dollars for church and benevolent enterprises.

Woman's Foreign Missionary and Woman's Home Missionary Societies.—These two societies show an increase in the number of auxiliaries and members; also in the amount raised for missionary work.

Church Literature.—It is very difficult to get the correct statistics for our church literature. The figures that I have show about the same number of Western Christian Advocates, Epworth Heralds, Sunday School Advocates, Sunday School Classmates, and Sunday School Journals taken this year as last year.

Benevolences.—We believe that when the Conference Treasurer makes his report, the benevolences will be a large increase this year over last year. Some lay members will not give the pastors any definite sum until a few days before the session of the Annual Conference; others will not pay their subscription until the last moment. This makes it very difficult for the pastor to give to the District Superintendent the exact figures concerning the benevolences.

Special Gifts.—Hardin Roades, of Muncie, gave \$3,000 to the new gymnasium at DePauw. A lady living within the bounds of the Muncie District, who is not even a member of the Methodist Church, has deeded to the Old Folks' Home at Warren a two hundred and sixty acre farm, conservatively estimated to be worth \$26,000.

In Anderson there have been two campaigns to raise money for the Young Men's Christian Association and the Young Women's Christian Association. An eccentric character by the name of Mr. Brunt left \$100,000 upon the condition that the citizens of Anderson would raise another \$100,00 for the Y. M. C. A. building. The campaign resulted in raising this amount, and besides that the citizens of Anderson gave \$25,000 for a Y. W. C. A.

Four years ago the Ball Brothers, of Muncie, gave \$100,000 for a Y. M. C. A. building, upon the condition that the citizens would raise the same amount; and this year they made the same proposition concerning a Y. W. C. A. building. Both of these campaigns were suc-

cessful. Muncie has one of the best Y. M. C. A. buildings in the State, and soon will have an excellent Y. W. C. A. building. To these enterprises in Anderson and Muncie our Methodist people gave liberally.

Temperance.—Last year at Conference, Hartford City was facing a local option election. It went dry by over one hundred. Muncie had a local option election on the 10th of March; on the face of the returns, it went wet by seventy-nine, but the battle is not over. We are waging a remonstrance campaign, and we hope thus to make every ward in the city dry and thus shut the saloons out.

Membership.—The pastors report 14,015 members on the roll, not including non-resident members. Last year we were permitted to include the non-resident members, and so there is an apparent decrease of one hundred and forty in membership. But if we were permitted to count the non-resident members in the roll as we did last year, the district would show a gain in membership of eight hundred and twenty-one. At this ratio over the whole Conference, the Conference would report a gain of almost five thousand in membership. The new basis this year will lay the foundation for a good increase next year.

Evangelism.—This has been a difficult year to conduct evangelistic services, on account of the bad condition of roads, changeable and rainy weather, and the prevailing scourge of the la grippe. For several weeks the congregations were depleted; almost every home was suffering from the disease. Many of the pastors had to give up their evangelistic services on account of sickness, and yet we have had some successful revival meetings in the district. The greatest revival was held at Lapel—a union tabernacle meeting, conducted by Eddie Thomas. The pastor, P. E. Greenwalt, reports 210 conversions. The following charges report between 50 and 100 conversions: Carmel, 72; High Street, 61; First Church, Anderson, 60; Albany, 60; between 25 and 50: Ingalls, 48; Albany Circuit, 40; Daleville and Mount Tabor, 39; Avondale, 34; Matthews, 27. The following charges report between 10 and 25: Alexandria Circuit, Grace Church (Anderson), Park Place, Gaston, Hartford City, Hartford City Circuit, Madison Street, Whitely, New Burlington, Noblesville, Shideler, and Summitville Circuit. Twelve charges report less than ten conversion: Indiana Avenue, Noble Street, DeSoto, Eaton, Fishers, Fortville, Jolietville, Normal City, Noblesville Circuit, Summitville, Westfield, and Yorktown—making a total of 932 conversions.

They report 563 accessions on probation; 396 from probation, and 473 by letter.

Notwithstanding the inclemency of the winter weather, bad roads, and prevailing sickness, it has been a good year for the churches.

In conclusion, it is not necessary for me to give a summary of the six years' work. At the close of each year I have tried to make a thorough report of the work accomplished. I have enjoyed the work very much. I am thankful that the dear Lord gave me physical strength to do the work. In parting, I wish to say a few words: First, to Bishop McDowell: No man could have been more fair and square in his dealings with the District Superintendents. You have tried to treat every pastor as a brother. This Conference will close our official relationship. In all probability the General Conference will transfer you to another area, and as a District Superintendent I will drop out of the Cabinet, but wherever you go, I want you to remember that there will be one member at least of the North Indiana Conference who at his family altar frequently will remember you at the throne of grace, praying that God may richly bless you, yours, and your great work.

Secondly: To the Pastors: You have treated me with great kind

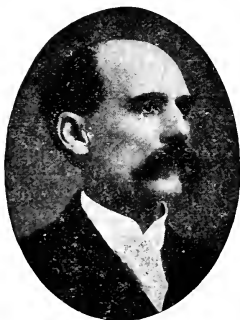
ness and consideration. I have felt perfectly at home in your parsonage homes. Many times I have returned from your Quarterly Conference, sympathizing with you in your perplexities and problems, to remember you by name at the throne of mercy. I pray earnestly that wherever you may go, you may realize that one of the greatest privileges in the world is to be a preacher of the gospel of Jesus Christ, and may this gospel which you preach to others be your stay and comfort through all of life's journey!

Third: To the Laymen in the Muncie District: Before I was appointed District Superintendent I always looked at the laymen from one viewpoint, namely, that of a pastor. Now I have a different angle of vision. It is said that every man has his price. This is absolutely false, for there are hundreds and hundreds of laymen over the Muncie District who dearly love the Lord Jesus Christ and his church, and who at any time would die for the truth. I desire to thank the laymen for their kindness to me, and for their patience with me.

RICHMOND DISTRICT.

Somerville Light, District Superintendent.

No district in North Indiana Methodism has better territory, better people, and better ability to do great things for the Kingdom of God. We confidently believe that with the increased education and



Somerville Light.

inspiration which accompany Methodism's present-day Forward Movement programs, the people will rally to the call of the hour. Thirty-one of the thirty-four men appointed at Auburn remained with their charges throughout the year. In September, R. I. Black surrendered the Saratoga charge. J. W. Zerbe was taken from the Williamsburg charge and put at Saratoga. Louis Ulmer, of the Indiana Conference, was secured for Williamsburg. The people ask for their return. Saratoga advances salary \$200. J. B. O'Connor, of Philadelphia, was released in September to attend school. G. L. Conway, of the Indiana Conference, took charge, but after a few weeks went to Bobo, Indiana. H. H. Compton, a supernumerary member of the West Ohio Conference, then took charge, and rounded out the year in good fashion. Carle E. Bash, of the Winchester Circuit, went to DePauw University at the opening of the college year. B. H. Franklin was immediately appointed to the charge, and has done first-class work. With few exceptions, the health of pastors and families has been good. Brother Silas Cates was quite seriously ill during the early winter, but has made a good recovery. He has done an outstanding year's work. His return is unanimously requested. The mother of Mrs. U. S. A. Bridge, of the Grace Church, Richmond, parsonage, and the father of Mrs. R. C. Ballard, of the Lewisville parsonage, were recently called to the heavenly home. The wife of Brother M. A. Harlan, after years of faithful service in the ministry, and added years of intense suffering, was called to her reward during

the year. The list of retired ministers on this district is headed by Dr. Milton Mahin, of New Castle, now in the nineties. He hails from the days and the land of giants. He himself was a giant. He is now confined to the invalid's chair, but is wide-awake and intensely interested in the gigantic tasks of the church of to-day. G. H. Hill, F. G. Browne, H. J. Norris, Sylvester Bilheimer, and R. T. Laslie complete the list. All good men with excellent records. The name of H. J. Norris must now be taken from this list and added to the long list of worthies in the ranks of the church triumphant, into which church he was ushered February 13, 1916. Funeral services were held in Winchester, in charge of Pastor F. P. Morris, Dr. W. D. Parr, a long-time friend, speaking the chief words of comfort and appreciation. The Year-Book of 1916 will show the name of Brother M. R. Pierce on the retired list. On account of failing health he is compelled to ask this relation. He has given this Conference twenty-eight years of good, faithful service. Three of our parsonage homes have been gladdened by the coming of sweet babies. Girls—deaconesses, missionaries, suffragettes, etc.—for Brothers and Sisters Croxall and Richardson; a little preacher man for Brother and Sister Wischmeier.

General Survey of the Work of 1915-16.—The Sunday schools, seventy-eight in number, have greatly improved in organization and efficiency. The total enrollment is a good advance over last year. The Cradle Roll Enrollment is receiving careful attention. The number enrolled at this time is 1,049, an average of 32 per charge. Practically all use our literature, and nearly all are organized into missionary societies; their offerings for missions total \$1,666—a good gain over last year. The Sunday-school Constituency Roll numbers 3,870. Add to this the constituency roll of the churches, numbering 6,956, and you have a total constituency roll of 10,826. What a field for modern Methodist Forward Movement evangelism! God help us to see our denominational opportunities and possibilities! Our District Sunday School Institute was held in Dunkirk, November 9 and 10. Large delegations were in attendance; Dr. W. S. Bovard, Rev. J. V. Thompson, and Mrs. Bryner gave excellent service. Echo meetings were conducted throughout the district with telling effect. The combination Brotherhood and Men's Bible Class work is moving forward at a great pace. The Epworth League convention held in New Castle, June 15 and 16, was one of the best I ever attended. The great chapter at New Castle did itself proud as host. Rev. J. S. Phillips, the President of the district, is pushing for a big program and a greater convention next June. We are also hoping for a truly representative number in attendance at the Wewasee institute. Our District Missionary, Brother George D. Lowry, is being well supported. The Junior League work suffers because of the difficulties attending the securing of suitable Superintendents. A Methodist preacher is doing big business for the Kingdom when he gives this work his personal oversight.

Woman's Work.—The Ladies' Aid Societies, as usual, have done excellent work, expending for new buildings, improvements, pastors' salaries, etc., more than \$10,000. The Woman's Home and Woman's Foreign Missionary Societies have been unusually aggressive this year. Both held good conventions and, by bringing special workers into the district, succeeded in organizing several new auxiliaries. Their combined offerings total \$4,188—a gain over last year.

Finances.—At the annual meeting of the pastors and District Stewards, a large representation meeting, a good program was presented. The routine business was duly considered, and the new financial plan unanimously adopted. The District Superintendent was authorized to present and urge the adoption of the plan in every

Quarterly Conference. The response has been very heartening. Settlement Day reports showed that twenty-three of the thirty-four charges had met all ministerial claims in full to that date. The eleven which failed had not adopted the plan. Since that date these charges have swung into line in whole or part and have made the canvass for next year; slowly, but surely, the people are coming to see the value and importance of this plan. Methodism will see a new day when the fifty per cent of her membership now in the liability column are set over to the asset side of the line. Then the much talked about revival will come to the whole church.

Salaries.—"A sufficient support for an efficient ministry" is the slogan of the hour in thoughtful, far-visioned Methodist Church circles. More liberal support, not to swell preachers' bank accounts, but to enlarge their equipment and enrich their lives and the lives of their families for the most important and far-reaching service to which God calls men. Such support urged, not for the man, but for the Christ and the glory of the Kingdom. Fifteen charges advanced at the beginning of the year to the amount of \$1,899, and fifteen have estimated an advance for next year. All other ministerial support has advanced in fair ratio. We still have a few Methodists, so called, who have attained such a high state of grace as to enable them to default in payment of pastors' claims without the quiver of a nerve.

Settlement Day Services.—The services of the day were held in New Castle, December 7. Thirty-three of the thirty-four pastors were present. The program was of a high order, the reports were most gratifying.

The Church in Action Campaign.—This campaign was on from September 27 to October 12, and was opened with a great get-together convention in the city of Richmond. Drs. J. B. Trimble, Harvey Reeves Calkins, and J. O. Randall were the chief speakers. Immediately following this convention, the pastors and the returned missionaries from various fields, under the direction of our wide-awake District Missionary Secretary, Silas L. Cates, and the Sub-district Chairmen, Brothers U. S. A. Bridge, L. J. Naftzger, J. H. Runkle, O. A. Trabue, and F. P. Morris went everywhere throughout the district giving stirring messages concerning the big things of the Kingdom. Every church in the district was visited. The people to the number of twelve thousand attended the meetings. The hearty co-operation of ministers and laymen resulted in the campaign closing with the greatest success which ever attended a similar effort in this district.

Benevolences.—The gain in all the benevolences is \$5,324. Twenty charges report a good advance over last year, one reports even, two only pull down, and eleven stand in the king row, **paid in full**. For all causes, at home and abroad, the good people of this district contributed this year \$110,410. The average contribution per member ranges in the various charges from \$6.80 to \$26.22.

Buildings and Improvements.—The plucky people of the New Dayton appointment, on the Winchester Circuit, began to build a new church in the early spring and had it ready for dedication in November. The District Superintendent had the pleasure of officiating on the joyous occasion. The cost of the church was about \$5,000; \$1,800 was needed on dedication day. In a short while the entire amount, with a good margin, was subscribed, and a happy people sang a hymn of praise and united with pastor and District Superintendent in the formal dedicatory services. The pastor's return is requested, with an advance of \$125 in salary. At Millgrove, on the Millgrove Circuit, T. S. Haddock, pastor, the church was so completely rebuilt that it is practically a new building, with the full equipment of a modern house

of worship. The entire cost of this improvement was \$4,000, with \$989 to be provided on dedication day, January 9. So heartily did the people respond that \$1,612 was cheerfully subscribed. The large and rapidly growing Sunday school at Dunkirk made church improvement with a view to a better Sunday-school plant—an absolute necessity. Appreciating the gravity of the situation, the Trustees of this splendid church, in response to the call of the ever-alert pastor, Benjamin Kendall, called in architect and contractor and proceeded to rebuild in fine fashion. With an outlay of \$4,300 they have modernized the plant and now take good care of the large congregations at the preaching services and one of the best Sunday schools in Richmond District. Brother Kendall's return is desired, with an advance of \$100 in salary, thus putting this charge in the \$1,500 class of appointments. The beautiful and commodious parsonage at Modoc, practically built last year under the leadership of Brother E. H. Taylor, is now completed at a cost of \$2,500. Pastor J. H. Richardson and family greatly enjoy this good home. A new barn was built this year, at a cost of \$300. The churches on this charge have been improved at a cost of \$410. The parsonage at Kennard has been rebuilt at a cost of about \$700. The Redkey parsonage, C. B. Croxall, pastor, has been brought down to date by the installing of a furnace and the addition of bathroom; electric lights have also been provided, and other improvements made; total cost, \$556. The church at Greenfield, Silas Cates, pastor, has been refrescoed and otherwise improved at a cost of \$1,350. After a year of outstanding prosperity and achievement, this charge, by a good advance in salary, steps into its rightful position. New Castle, O. A. Trabue, pastor, has improved church and parsonage at an expense of \$800. This charge, with possibilities of first rank, ushers in a new day by adding \$200 to the salary for next year. At Spartansburg, on the Lynn charge, E. C. Hallman, pastor, subscriptions have been taken for a new church, the contract price of which is \$9,500. This popular pastor will return at an advance in salary of \$150, making the salary of next year \$1,100 and house. Benevolences for this year paid in full. At Markleville, O. P. VanY, pastor, a much needed parsonage is to be built; subscriptions, consisting of labor, material, and money, have been made. This charge has also paid benevolences in full and advanced pastor's salary for next year. Third Church, Richmond, J. P. Chamness, pastor, has made improvements on church property and added furnishings to the extent of \$1,110. At Shirley, C. W. Anderson, pastor, the church property has been improved at an outlay of \$900. Benevolences are paid in full. The Farmland Church, J. S. Phillips, pastor, has been greatly improved at a cost of \$840. On the Hagerstown charge, A. C. Wischmeier, pastor, \$465 have been expended in improvements. Hagerstown has had a good year and now asks to be made a station, with the privilege of paying the same salary paid this year by the entire circuit, i. e., \$900. Other improvements are as follows: Grace Church, Richmond; U. S. A. Bridge, pastor, \$741. First Church, Richmond; H. C. Harmon, \$225. Centerville, L. P. Pfeifer, \$298; Maxwell, A. J. Duryee, \$300; Winchester, F. P. Morris, \$451; Spiceland, E. A. Brunner, \$223; Fountain City, Leroy Huddleston, \$145; Knightstown, J. H. Runkle, \$121; McCordsville, M. R. Pierce, \$130; Cambridge City, R. C. Jones, \$100; Lewisville, R. C. Ballard, \$85; Economy, P. Polhemus, \$30; Charlottesville, E. H. Taylor, \$20. These improvements total \$32,788.

Debts Paid.—Union City arose in its might and made full provision for an \$8,000 indebtedness on the church property. The pastor was very ably assisted in this undertaking by his son, E. W. Naftzger, who showed marked ability in directing the forces so well organized

by his father. Father and son have reason to be proud of this outstanding success, not only because the debt is provided for and more than half cashed, but also because of the new life infused into this good church. The pastor's return is unanimously requested by an appreciative people, and an increase in salary assured. The parsonage debt at Centerville, L. P. Pfeifer, pastor, has been paid—\$1,230 in cash. Brother Pfeifer has done a great year's work in a very difficult field. His return is requested, with an advance in salary. Modoc has paid \$1,125 on parsonage debt. Farmland cashed its debt, \$1,000. Pastor Phillips has had a glorious year, begun under embarrassing conditions. He will return at an advanced salary. Cambridge City paid \$425 on church debt. Dr. Jones is in fine favor, and will return with the promise of \$100 addition to salary. First Church, Richmond, has met its budget in full and paid \$600 on its indebtedness. Dr. Harmon has done an unusually good year's work and has laid the foundation for better things next year. Knightstown, J. H. Runkle, pastor, has paid the remaining \$411 on its debt and is now free. The pastor is in good favor with his people, who expressed appreciation by advance in salary. Dunkirk, Charlottesville, and Lewisville also paid off small debts. Total debts provided for aggregate \$13,014. The Methodists of this district own property valued at \$624,670, with a present-hour indebtedness of \$15,984.

Revivals and Membership.—The great Forward Movement program was brought to the attention of pastors and people, and adopted by all of the charges. Hundreds of Prayer League and Time Legion cards have been signed, large constituency rolls have been made up, and many young people have signed the Life Work Covenant. Personal, public, periodic, and protracted evangelism have all been emphasized. On account of health and weather conditions, we are not able to report the number of conversions anticipated. However, good, faithful work has been done, and the pastors report 1,115 converts. New Castle, 200. A tabernacle meeting, Charlottesville charge, 147; here the pastor was ably assisted by Brother Maurice Barrett, who, by the way, goes to India next autumn, his support having been pledged by the Greenfield Church. Kennard, 125; this charge has been completely made over and becomes one of our good \$1,000 circuits; C. A. Mitchell has been his own evangelist. Knightstown, 90; a tabernacle meeting; here Pastor J. H. Runkle conserved the results in a fine way. Third Church, Richmond, 45; Pastor Chamness his own evangelist. First and Grace Churches, Richmond, led on by Pastors Harmon and Bridge, joined forces in a union meeting, calling to their assistance the Kerr Brothers, of Toronto, Canada; Dr. Bridge reports 28 conversions and 94 accessions; he has had a great year in every way; Dr. Harmon reports 45 conversions and 59 accessions. Fountain City, 46; Salamonia, 42; Saratoga, 35; Marklesville, 26; Farmland, 25; Winchester Circuit, 17; Hagerstown, 15; Union City, 15; Greenfield, 15; Lynn, 12, and other charges from 10 to 2. The accessions reported to me, with four charges to make report, put our net gain close to the ten per cent mark. The per cent of gain of the charges ranges from thirty per cent down to two per cent.

New Work.—As reported, Hagerstown will become a station and build a new church. By this move Losantville becomes the head of a new charge. Brothers Duryee, of Maxwell, and Anderson, of Shirley, have set such a pace that it will require three men to handle this section of the district next year. Willow Branch, from the Shirley charge, and Eden, from the Maxwell charge, have joined hands and will support a pastor; salary, \$800 and house. Shirley and Wilkinson will do the same. Other changes should be made in the near future. Every-member canvasses back these adjustments.

till July 22, 1915, at which time H. G. Robson was employed to finish the year.

E. C. Olson was secured to supply Highland Avenue charge.

J. B. Cook, a retired minister, supplied Silver Lake till the latter part of October, 1915, when Bishop Quayle transferred W. B. Hardy from the North Dakota Conference to the North Indiana Conference and appointed him to Silver Lake.

In the early part of the year the health of B. E. Parker became impaired, which took him from his pulpit in Marion, First Church, several weeks. A Committee on Pulpit Supply secured the services of Dr. Grose, some neighboring pastors, and others for a few Sundays, but most of the time the pulpit was supplied by Dr. T. M. Guild, a former pastor of this church and now one of our Conference Evangelists. Notwithstanding the disarrangement of plans occasioned by the pastor's sickness, this church makes a fine report for the year.

On June 13, 1915, the only child of Brother and Sister Arlington Singer, a son of about three years, was suddenly taken to his heavenly home to be forever under the shepherding care of Him who said, "Suffer the little children to come unto me and forbid them not, for of such is the Kingdom of heaven."

On August 11 the interior of our beautiful new church in Huntington was almost entirely destroyed by fire. A suitable place for worship was obtained, the church made more attractive than ever, and a year of fine work reported.

On March 21 a tornado swept through the district, damaging Morris Chapel and Van Buren Church.

Group and District Meetings.—May 18 to 21, group meetings for the purpose of mobilizing men for service were held at Columbia City, Huntington, Wabash, and Marion. These meetings, attended by hundreds of men, were addressed by Dr. Blake and Dr. W. S. Bovard. Afternoon and evening services were held, with a supper served at six o'clock. Settlement Day group meetings were held at Huntington, North Manchester, and Marion. The worth and appreciation of Settlement Days are evidenced by a unanimous request for their continuance. Pastors' and District Stewards' meeting was held in Wabash, First Church, on May 20. District Convention of Epworth League at Huntington on June 15 and 16. Wabash District Sunday School Institute at Wabash, First Church, July 8 and 9. Ministerial Institute at LaFontaine on October 26 and 27. A Country Life Conference, composed of Bippus, Huntington, Mount Etna, and Warren Circuits, was held at Pilcher's Chapel on November 6 and 7. At the request of the pastors the Quarterly Conferences were asked to order the organization of a District Conference, which was done, only one Quarterly Conference dissenting. The District Conference was held in Marion, First Church, on March 1, 2, and 3, 1916. It will be seen that the pastors have responded to five district meetings and eight group meetings distributed through the year.

In addition to these, the district responded to the call of Bishop Henderson, Chairman of the General Conference Commission on Evangelism, for a meeting of the North Indiana Conference in Fort Wayne, in September, in the interest of the Methodist Forward Movement. My duties as member of the Board of Conference Claimants called me to the Pacific Coast at that time. Frequent references to that meeting by various pastors indicate high appreciation of its benefits.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society and the Woman's Home Missionary Society each held illuminating and stimulating district conventions in Marion, First Church.

In the second week in November, Wabash, First Church, enter-

tained in pleasing manner the Annual Convention of the North Indiana Conference Woman's Home Missionary Society.

Building and Improvements.—Under the leadership of H. A. P. Homer, an excellent and well-equipped church at Lagro was dedicated, with every dollar of expense provided for, by the Rev. Dr. Wm. D. Parr, on November 28. This is truly a great achievement for Methodism in Lagro and is the promise of greater things to come while our people there remain true to our doctrines and polity as set forth in our Discipline, our Christian Advocates, our Sunday-school literature, and by our loyal, broad-visioned pastors.

Twenty-nine charges report \$13,904 paid for building and improving church and parsonage property. Twelve charges report \$30,691 paid on old indebtedness.

We have the following prospective new church buildings: Uniondale has contracted for a new building for \$11,313 without furnishings. Andrews has decided to build, the expense to be not less than \$12,000. Silver Lake people are studying plans and are expecting to invest about \$8,000.

Sweetser is in great need of a new church. The membership is small in number and has limited financial ability. But it is fortunate in having a great constituency, many enterprising and thrifty men, upon whom God has lavished his blessings and who some day, we fondly hope in the not distant future, will give a tangible expression of their appreciation of his goodness in the erection of a \$12,000 church. Only a few days ago we laid to rest William Burge, who for years has been a patron and patriarch in this church. No more fitting thing could be done by this community than the erection of a Burge Memorial Church.

Grace Church, Marion, greatly needs increased facilities for properly caring for the large numbers now in attendance and for scores of others who might otherwise be gathered in.

Marion, First Church, is our most conspicuous example of arrested development because of inadequate building facilities. Childhood is passing into youth and youth into adulthood with crude ideas of the present-day program of the church because of the material limitations rendering the realization of such program largely impossible. We are not pleading for hasty or inconsiderate action. Each step should be taken only after mature deliberation. If we properly interpret the spirit of that great, generous, and philanthropic congregation, we are warranted in saying that already they are bringing pressure to bear upon those in leadership for adequate church facilities which ere long will be well-nigh, if not absolutely, irresistible. The spirit of that splendid people indicates the arrival of the psychological moment for that congregation which is just now being steadily but surely measured off by the town clock in that prosperous and attractive city.

Evangelism.—All through the year our pastors have been leading people to Christ, and, under the inspiration of the Fort Wayne meeting, they have won many victories. Only four charges have each reported a decrease in membership, while thirty-two charges each reported an increase—the net increase being 490. Revival work has been greatly hindered by weather and health conditions. Nevertheless, thirty-five charges report an aggregate of 1,266 conversions. Twenty charges have adopted the Forward Movement program, and two have adopted it in part. Seventeen charges report 611 enrolled in the Prayer League, sixteen report 310 in the Time Legion, and seven report 40 enrolled for special Christian service.

Benevolences.—With increased apportionments for our Conference Claimants, with thousands of bushels of grain rotting in our

fields because of the wet season, with some of our members moving away because of disturbed industrial conditions, we confess that we had serious reflections concerning our benevolent interests. To-day we are glad to report that Wabash District has paid our retired ministers a debt long overdue, has overcome difficulties and put to rout discouragement due to pessimism, and has made it possible for our Missionary Board to place a few extra men in the field.

The net gain for all the benevolences is \$1,684, while for the Disciplinary benevolences the net gain is \$447. Of course, our pastors could never have accomplished this without the loyal support of an increasing number of long-visioned laymen.

The Forward Look.—The District Conference adopted a district program for next year, five thousand copies of which are ready for distribution throughout the district. The moment the appointments are read, that moment each man has a district program, the careful study of which will suggest the necessity of a program for the church he serves which will harmonize with the district program throughout the year. The conscientious pastor will readily see that if his charge fails the district fails, and if the district fails the Conference fails, and if the Conference fails the church fails, and if the church fails God fails! But God does not fail. He may wait for another generation to do what we fail to do. In that event it will be difficult for any one of us responsible for failure to stand anywhere as did Bishop McIntyre in his last address to the last church he ever served as pastor and say, "So far as I know, I am pure from the blood of all men." The man who does not know that success in the ministry is "a question of blood, and not of popularity," that it is keeping one's soul "pure from the blood of all men," as Paul puts it, is hardly prepared to receive an appointment. But if he can say with the good Bishop McIntyre, "I am going to be God's man and do God's will while I live," he will not fail.

Personal Mention.—I forego the pleasure of mentioning each man's name, calling attention to some outstanding, meritorious feature of his work, with one exception. I refer to a man who has given forty-four years to the ministry, the last twenty years covering three pastorates only, now closing his eighth year in present pastorate; church in fine spiritual condition, an increase in membership, Sunday school never quite so good, local expense all met, all apportionments paid with an increase over last year, and an earnest request for his return for the ninth year—the Rev. Granville B. Work.

For the queenly wives of these knightly men presiding in our parsonage homes, and for their children, "sons as plants grown up in their youth, daughters as corner-stones polished after the similitude of a palace," I will forever cherish sentiments of the highest appreciation and most unfeigned regard.

Memorials.

MEMORIAL TO THE GENERAL CONFERENCE, 1916.

WHEREAS, The local preachers are an order of the Methodist Episcopal Church, licensed and ordained by the Church, amenable to the Church; and,

WHEREAS, They have had a great part in building up and sustaining the Church, the North Indiana Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church hereby memorializes your honorable body, asking that the National Association of Local Preachers of the Methodist Episcopal Church be given official recognition as one of the organizations of the Church.

MEMORIAL TO THE GENERAL CONFERENCE, 1916.

WHEREAS, There is a discrepancy in the method of the distribution of the Book Concern Dividend, arising from the fact that while it is distributed to the Conferences on the basis of the total Conference membership, it must be distributed by the Conference on the basis of years of service; and,

WHEREAS, A just and consistent method of distribution would seem to require that the Conferences should have their respective shares of the dividend apportioned to them on the same basis as that upon which they are required to disburse it; and,

WHEREAS, The present method works special hardship and injustice in the older and larger Conferences, because they have a proportionately larger number of claimants, and therefore larger annuity claims than Conferences more recently organized; and,

WHEREAS, The present method of distribution takes no account whatever of the annuity claim of the widows and minor children; therefore,

Resolved, That this Conference memorialize the General Conference as follows:

To the General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church:

The North Indiana Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church hereby memorializes your honorable body, asking that paragraph 283 of the Discipline be amended so as to require that the distribution of the dividend of the Book Concern among the several Annual Conferences shall be made upon the basis of the total claims on the Annuity Distribution in the Conferences severally, as shown by the reports of the Conference Stewards, such reports to be checked up by the Board of Conference Claimants and approved by the Book Committee.

Reports of Committees.

ACCOUNT OF D. V. WILLIAMS, SECRETARY.

RECEIPTS.

Year Book to the Districts.....	\$803 05
Advertising and Year Books to others.....	65 68
Total	\$868 73

EXPENSES.

Book Concern	\$665 00
Local Printing, Halftones, etc.	30 78
Bills Payable	141 00
Postage, Express, Drayage on Trunk, etc., etc	28 11
Balance on Hand	3 84
Total	\$868 73

AGGRESSIVE EVANGELISM.

Methodism was born in the heart of John Wesley, who said, "I felt my heart strangely warmed." It is this inner experience that is fundamental to our Church life and polity.

The Sunday School is one of the aggressive agencies, out of which our Methodism is giving expression to this fundamental principle of our Church life. The evangelistic note was never more emphatic than now in our endeavor to promote an intelligent and vital piety among the childhood and youth of our Church.

The Epworth League is seeking to train its membership to attain the highest New Testament standard of experience and life, and commends itself to the Church in its plans for "Win My Chum Week" and similar efforts to evangelize its entire membership.

The Church likewise in its "Forward Movement" to increase its membership ten per cent within the year, the securing of one thousand lives dedicated to some form of Church work, while it seeks to secure the personal consecration of its membership by requesting them to devote a portion of their time to personal and evangelistic work, is worthy of our best endeavor, and is the program adopted throughout the Church.

The observance of "Special Seasons"—as "Decision Day," "Self-Denial Week," "The Federated Church Movement"—for revival work, the setting apart in our Conference of men who are especially adapted to evangelistic work, are causes for gratitude, and have resulted in great blessing to our Methodism. The ministry is to be commended for its faithfulness and loyalty to this one distinctive mission of Methodism.

We hail the day when in all our Churches this power to save and keep men from sin shall be felt with increasing fervor and passion among us.

P. E. GREENWALT, *Chairman*,
R. C. JONES,
F. F. THORNBURG,

J. L. GILLARD,
J. F. RADCLIFFE,
Committee.

AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY.

We, your Committee on American Bible Society, feeling the need of the religious press in adequately establishing the truths of the Kingdom of God, and recognizing the importance of the place of the Holy Scriptures in creating a knowledge essential to the development of true Christian character, reaffirm our faith in the work of the American Bible Society.

We rejoice in another year of splendid service of this society in the printing and circulation of the Word of God, 6,406,000 copies having been distributed last year, a gain of more than a million copies over the previous year.

Notwithstanding the advance of \$103 this year in this Conference, we regret to note in this important crisis and time of world unrest and distressing wars the apparent lack of interest and support of this worthy organ of the Church of our Lord, and recommend that our pastors urge more liberal giving to this cause.

In view of the fact that civilization still needs the Word of God, and that the Scriptures have never had such access to heathen lands as they have to-day, and that the present year marks the centennial of the birth of the American Bible Society, we recommend the setting apart of an hour in the program of the next Conference for a centennial anniversary of this society.

We also recommend that May 7, 1916, be observed as centennial or Bible Day in each charge within the bounds of this Conference.

C. M. HOLLOPETER,
J. J. FISCHER,
L. C. MURR,

E. C. HALLMAN,
E. L. JONES,

Committee.

ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION OF THE NORTH INDIANA ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF THE METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

We, the undersigned members of the North Indiana Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, citizens of the State of Indiana, for the purpose of organizing ourselves into an incorporate body, the object of which is the formation and furtherance of the educational, moral, religious, and benevolent enterprises of the said Church and Conference, do hereby ordain and institute the following Articles of Association, to-wit:

1. This Association shall be denominated the North Indiana Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

2. The object of this Organization and Corporation shall be the promotion of the Educational, Benevolent, and Religious enterprises of the said Church and Conference; embracing such interests as the Colleges and Universities; all Connectional Boards and Societies of the Church; the Preachers' Aid Society of said Conference, the Methodist Memorial Home for the Aged at Warren, Indiana, and all other such like interests. To receive, use, hold, buy, sell, and manage any money, real estate, and other property donated, or bequeathed to such corporation, or purchased, or otherwise secured by it, for these or any other religious, benevolent, or philanthropic purpose or interest; and to hold, use, buy, sell any real or personal property that may so come into its possession, as it may deem best.

3. The Officers of said Corporation shall be a President, Vice-president, Secretary, and Treasurer, who shall be elected annually by a majority vote of the members of the said Conference present and voting. The Secretary of the Conference shall be the Secretary of the Corporation. These officers so elected shall also be the Trustees of the said Corporation, and shall hold their office until their successors are duly elected

and qualified. As Trustees they shall have the power to make and execute deeds for real estate sold by the Corporation, and to do and transact all of the business of the Corporation. The President and Secretary are hereby authorized to transfer and release mortgages, liens, leases, and contracts held by the Corporation, when the Conference Trustees so direct. Said Trustees shall meet to transact business at the call of the President, and three of them shall constitute a quorum at such meeting.

4. The said Conference shall meet annually, at such times and places as provided for in the Discipline of the Methodist Episcopal Church, or as it may from year to year choose and direct.

5. It shall be the duty of the Secretary to keep and make a faithful record of the proceedings of the Conference Sessions from year to year in a book kept for that purpose. He shall also keep a record of the meetings and proceedings of the Board of Trustees in a separate record book, to be known and called Trustees' Record Book of North Indiana Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church. It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to receive, hold, loan, and manage all funds belonging to the Corporation; and hand them over, and pay them out as said Conference may direct at its Annual Sessions, or as the Board of Trustees may order when the Conference is not in session. He shall have charge of and manage any real estate owned and held by the Corporation. He shall give a satisfactory bond in such sum as the Conference may direct, for the faithful performance of his duties, and caring for the money that may come into his hands, the Corporation to pay the expense of securing such bond from an approved Security Company, unless otherwise directed.

6. The members of this Corporation shall be the ministers in full connection in said North Indiana Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, and their successors in the Conference membership.

7. The Conference aforesaid shall have power to adopt By-Laws for its government, and to change them at any meeting thereof by a majority vote of the members present and voting; and this Constitution may be altered at any annual meeting by a two-thirds vote of the members present and voting.

8. The Corporate Seal of the Society shall be a metallic impression with the following words "North Indiana Annual Conference, Methodist Episcopal Church."

LESLIE J. NAFTZGER, *President.*

DORIE V. WILLIAMS, *Secretary.*

THOMAS M. GUILD, *Vice-President.*

CYRUS U. WADE, *Treasurer.*

AUDITING COMMITTEE.

The Committee on Auditing Accounts of the Conference submit the following report:

The accounts of the Conference Secretary have been audited, and we find a balance of \$3.64, which amount we recommend be given to him.

We have examined the accounts of the District Superintendents and find that they are correct.

We have audited the accounts of the Board of Stewards and find the account correct with a balance of \$230.30 carried over from last year.

We have audited the report of the Treasurer of Conference Corporation and found it to balance correctly.

Flood Fund, a balance of \$191.87 remains in the hands of the treasurer.

Conference Treasurer—We have checked the accounts of the Conference Treasurer and find them correct.

We desire the Conference of 1917 to definitely outline the work of the Auditing Committee, so that all officers whose accounts are to be audited may present them to the Committee.

E. L. JONES, *Chairman,*
GEO. E. GARRISON.

BOARD OF CONTROL OF DEACONESS WORK.

Recognizing that one of the greatest modern Church movements is the Deaconess Movement, and in order to meet the demands so important, we would encourage more of our young women to consider favorably this field of Christian work. The leaflet, "The Deaconess Movement," gives figures from the report of 1915 in the Church at large, as follows: Fourteen new buildings have been built at a cost of \$1,175,000; twelve buildings have been acquired either by purchase or gift, and twelve new centers have been opened. The increase of property to January 1, 1916, was \$1,568,091; and since that day over \$400,000 worth of additional property has been dedicated, and the total increase in property for the quadrennium is about \$2,000,000.

Statistical reports show that during the year of 1915, 452,631 calls were made; 70,269 sick were visited; 41,966 were given relief; 1,532 children were taken to country homes; 23,170 were treated in hospitals; 297 were in training schools for Christian service; 76 graduated, and 461 were taking hospital training.

The license of Miss Cora Fales and Miss Lucy B. Brooks, of Upland, Indiana, have been renewed, and Mrs. Abigail Sechrist Williams has been given an honorable discharge on account of her marriage. The consecrated Deaconess can most successfully visit the sick, pray for and comfort them, relieve and care for the orphan, and represent Christ and the Church. Therefore, we would urge our pastors to employ them in their work.

H. BOASE, *President*,
E. C. DUNN, *Secretary*.

BOARD OF EXAMINERS.

J. H. RUNKLE, *Chairman*.

U. S. A. BRIDGE, *Registrar*.

(1) A properly authenticated certificate showing that a student has already pursued and passed a satisfactory examination in a prescribed course of study as a regular attendant on the class-room instruction in any of our regular theological seminaries, universities, and colleges, approved by our University Senate, will be received in lieu of Conference examination.

(2) Similar certificates may also be received in all studies not Biblical or theological from other than Methodist schools, if of equal grade with those approved by our University Senate. The Board of Examiners in each particular case will determine as to whether the work done is a fair equivalent or not.

(3) Certificates presented for credit must show the amount of work done, text-books used, year in which the work was done, and the grade given by the Examiner. If no grade is furnished in a certificate presented for credit, the only minimum passing grade (70) will be allowed.

(4) All examinations must be taken at the Mid-year Institute, or the seat of the Annual Conference. Exception to this rule will be made in the case of students in the mission field.

(5) Certificates from our approved Methodist Episcopal theological schools, showing the completion of the full course of study leading to a degree, will be received in lieu of the Conference examinations, in accordance with the Discipline of 1912, paragraph 568: "It being understood that the Annual Conference shall examine all candidates in regard to their personal attitude toward the doctrine and Discipline of the Church."

(6) The Mid-year Institute will be held at Peru, October 16-20, 1916.

(7) Themes for sermons and essays for the year 1916-17 are as follows: First Year sermon, "The Atonement;" Essay for Second Year,

"The Social Program of the Methodist Episcopal Church." For Third Year sermon, write Examiner.

All sermons must bear the date when written, and are requested to be handed in on or before the first day of the Mid-year Institute.

DISTRIBUTION OF SUBJECTS.

Class for Admission.

Elementary English	Frank P. Morris
Principles of Rhetoric	H. B. Gough
General History	H. B. Gough
The Worker and His Bible	L. M. Edwards
History and Exposition of the Twenty-five Articles of Religion of the Methodist Episcopal Church	Frank P. Morris
Discipline	J. H. Runkle
Life of John Wesley	L. M. Edwards
Organizing and Building the Sunday School	F. P. Morris
Written Sermon	H. B. Gough

First Year.

Jesus and the Gospels	B. E. Parker
Preparation and Delivery of Sermons	C. H. Smith
American History	R. L. Semans
Winning the Fight Against Drink	H. S. Nickerson
Digest of Methodist Law	U. S. A. Bridge
English Style and Public Discourse	J. E. Williams
Written Sermon	O. B. Morris

Second Year.

Biblical Hermeneutics	H. S. Nickerson
The Bible, Its Origin and Nature	O. B. Morris
How We Think	B. E. Parker
The Graded Sunday School—In Principle and Practice.....	C. H. Smith
The Light of the World	W. B. Freeland
The Decisive Hour of Christian Missions	R. L. Semans
Essay	U. S. A. Bridge

Third Year.

System of Christian Doctrine	C. H. Smith
History of the Christian Church	R. L. Semans
The Fact of Conversion	W. B. Freeland
Sacerdotalism in the Nineteenth Century	J. E. Williams
The New Basis of Civilization	U. S. A. Bridge
Written Sermon	J. E. Williams

Fourth Year.

System of Christian Doctrine	C. H. Smith
Theism	O. B. Morris
Christian Ethics	B. E. Parker
Principles of Literary Criticism	B. E. Parker
Prophecy and the Prophets	H. S. Nickerson
The Social Engineer	W. B. Freeland
Synopsis of the Psychology of the Christian Soul.....	W. B. Freeland

BOARD OF STEWARDS REPORT.

NAMES.	Years in Effective Relation....	ANNUITY.		Special.....	PREACHERS' AID.		Total Paid.....
		Legal Claim....	Paid.....		Basis.....	Paid.....	
MEN.							
Albright, P. J.	27	\$459	\$348		\$270	\$46	\$394
Beall, T. H. C.	25	425	323		250	44	367
Becks, L. A.							
Bennett, H. W.	38	646	490		380	67	557
Billheimer, S.	12	204	155				155
Brown, C. H.	34	578	439		340	60	499
Brown, W. W.	18	306	232		180	32	264
Browne, F. G.	32	544	413		320	56	469
Cain, John S.	37	629	477		370	65	542
Carey, A. J.	36	612	464		360	63	529
Cook, J. B.	40	680	516		400	70	586
Davis, C. E.	13	221	168		130	21	189
Davis, Eli	21	357	271		210	37	308
Disbro, C. E.	39	663	503		390	68	571
Ervin, J. E.	41	697	529		410	72	601
Ewell, H. A.	28	476	361		280	49	410
Fetro, J. T.	33	561	426		330	58	484
Frech, T. F.	28	476	361	50	280	49	460
Harbour, O. V. L.	30	510	387		300	53	440
Hasty, E. F.	47	799	606		470	82	688
Hill, G. H.	30	510	387		300	53	440
Kemper, F. M.	16	272	206		160	28	234
Lacy, F. M.	28	476	361				361
Lash, William	19	323	245	75	190	34	354
Laslie, R. T.	14	238	181		140	25	206
Mahin, Milton	52	884	671		520	91	762
McCarty, W. E.	34	578	439		340	59	498
McDaniel, J. W.	18	306	232		180	32	264
McFarlane, H. E.	10	170	129		100	17	146
McNary, J. H.	22	374	284		220	39	323
Miller, S. C.	10	170	129		100	17	146
Murray, C. H.	29	493	374	75	290	51	500
Neal, T. C.	12	204	155	125	120	21	301
Norris, S. C.	22	374	284		220	38	322
Norris, H. J.	39	663	503		390	68	571
Paschall, J. W.	24	408	310	100	240	42	452
Patterson, A. M.	26	442	335		260	45	380
Peck, William	27	459	348		270	46	390
Peirce, W. H.	31	527	400		310	54	454
Pierce, M. R.	31	527	400				400
Pittenger, M. C.	13	221	168		130	21	189
Reed, R. S.	27	459	348		270	46	394
Reeves, Lewis	20	340	258		200	35	293
Reeves, J. M. B.	16	272	206		160	28	234
Robinson, F. A.	22	374	284		220	39	323
Ruley, J. A.	36	612	464				464
Rush, J. M.	19	323	245	100	190	34	379
Sawyer, B.	29	493	374		290	51	425
Semans, E. L.	39	663	503		390	69	572
Sevits, L. A.	30	510	387				387
Singer, I. W.	30	510	387	50	300	53	490
Smith, R. H.	35	595	452		350	62	514
Stephens, P. S.	16	272	206				206
Stewart, W. S.	26	442	335		260	45	380
Stright, M. F.	33	561	426		330	58	484
Terflinger, J. V.	7	119	90		70	13	103
Tillman, J. W.	15	255	194		150	27	221
Waltz, J. K.	35	595	452		350	62	514
Welch, J. W.	29	493	374		290	51	425
Wilkinson, C. H.	44	748	568		440	77	645
Williams, J. E.	29	493	374				374
Wooton, A. S.	32	544	413		320	56	469
Totals.	1684	\$28628	\$21724	\$575	\$14730	\$2579	\$24504

NAMES.	Years in Effective Relation...	ANNUITY.		Special	PREACHERS' AID.		Total Paid.....
		Legal Claim....	Paid.....		Basis.....	Paid.....	
WOMEN.							
Anderson, Sarah.....	25	\$213	\$162	\$100	\$125	\$22	\$284
Baker, Mary.....	10	85	65				65
Belt, Laura.....	4	34	26		20	5	31
Boston, E. May.....	13	111	84	30	65	11	125
Bridge, Maria.....	13	111	84		65	11	95
Brown, Edith.....	2	17	13				13
*Comstock, Elizabeth B. P.							
Cone, Sophia M.....	30	255	194		150	260	220
Cook, Elizabeth B.....	13	111	84	30	65	11	125
*Cooper, Alice M.....							
Curtis, Ellen M.....	17	145	109		85	15	124
Daniel, Emma L.....					160	28	28
Davis, Alice.....	13	111	84	50	65	12	146
Earp, Ella G.....	22	187	142		110	19	161
Fish, Matilda A.....	38	323	245		190	33	278
Forkner, Margaret A.....	3	26	19		15	4	23
Gerard, Carrie F.....	23	196	148		115	21	169
*Gillam, Judith A.....							
Gregg, Eva K.....	8	68	52				52
Greer, Elizabeth M.....	23	196	148	50	115	21	219
Hammond, Jessie M.....	13	111	84		65	12	96
Harrison, Flora C.....	14	119	90	75	70	13	178
Herrick, Sarah J.....	2	17	13		30	5	18
Herron, Hattie L.....	16	136	104		80	15	119
Hudson, Hannah B.....	34	289	220		170	30	250
Jackson, Emma.....	20	170	129		100	18	147
Johnson, Emma.....	5	43	32	100	25	5	137
Jordon, Celia.....							
King, Addie G.....	38	323	245				245
Lamport, M. J.....					95	17	17
*Lewellen, Minerva.....							
Luse, Hattie M.....	20	170	129				129
Mahin, Catherine L.....	32	272	208		160	29	237
Martindale, Matilda.....	22	187	142		110	19	161
McCarty, Margaret.....	4	34	26	40	20	5	71
McCoy, Emma.....	17	145	110		85	15	125
McElwee, Anna B.....	24	204	155				155
McElwee, Laurinda.....	22	187	142		110	19	161
Mellinger, Martha J.....	13	111	84				84
Metts, Eliza W.....	31	264	200		155	27	227
Mott, Harriet.....	26	221	168		130	23	191
Neal, Artalissa.....	23	196	148	50	115	20	218
Peddycord, Mary S.....	14	119	90		70	12	102
Phillips, Nancy E.....	10	85	65		50	10	75
Powell, Jennie.....	17	145	110		85	15	125
Powell, Sarah H.....	14	119	90	50	70	12	152
Randolph, Laura.....	4	34	26	25	20	5	56
Rehl, Clara R.....	12	102	78		60	11	89
Reichelderfer, Mae.....	13	111	84				84
Rogers, Lizzie S.....	9	77	58	75	45	8	141
Simpson, Lydia A.....	36	306	232		180	32	264
Skinner, Martha E.....					155	27	27
Slack, Naomi.....	19	162	123	50	95	17	190
Smith, Lovina H.....	21	179	136		105	18	154
Smith, Mary L.....	22	187	142	50			192
Smith, Maggie.....	31	264	200		155	27	227
Teague, Hettie.....	15	128	97	50	75	12	159
Tobey, Nettie.....	11	94	71	25	55	10	106
Vigus, Maria.....	41	349	265		205	36	301
Wayman, Armilda.....	2	17	13	50	10	3	66
White, Anna.....	34	289	220		170	30	250
Wones, Dora L.....	9	77	58		45	8	63
Woolpert (Special).....				50			50
Wright, Sarah R.....	10	85	65		50	9	74
Young, Lucy M.....	42	357	272				272
Totals.....	1019	\$8674	\$6583	\$950	\$4565	\$813	\$8346

* Relinquished.

NAMES.	Years in Effective Relation...	ANNUITY.		Special.....	PREACHERS' AID.		Total Paid.....
		Legal Claim...	Paid.....		Basis.....	Paid.....	
CHILDREN.							
Belt, J. Robert.....	22	\$374	\$284	.....	\$176	\$31	\$315
Belt, R. Joyce.....							
Belt, Albert F.....							
Belt, Harold H.....							
Brown, Thos. C.....	1	17	13	.....	.....	.....	13
Hammond, Joyce T.....	6	102	74	.....	52	9	83
Hammond, Ruth.....							
Pierce, Ruth M.....	5	85	65	.....	48	9	74
Rehl, Lois G.....	2	34	26	.....	24	4	30
Wones, Carolyn Ruth.....	14	238	181	.....	140	25	206
Wones, Roselyn Esther.....							
Wright, Lawrence.....	4	68	52	\$25	40	7	84
Wright, Minnetta.....							
Totals.....	54	\$918	695	\$25	\$480	\$85	\$805

DAVID WELLS, Secretary.

L. M. KRIDER, President.

CHURCH LITERATURE.

We, your Committee on Church Literature, recognize the religious press as a mighty agent in the spread of the truths of the Kingdom of our Christ and in moulding the character and fashioning the life of our people, both old and young. We rejoice in the quantity and in the quality of splendid literature which our publishing houses are putting out. We commend it to our people and confidently urge that there is nothing quite so good for us, and that no loyal Methodist can afford to detach himself from vital touch with his own Church, its activities, and its life by substituting a foreign publication for his own denominational paper.

Since it is evident that the areal plan for our Bishops has come to stay, we most heartily indorse the plan of one great paper for the Church in general, and of an areal paper for each Bishop's area, or for such contiguous areas as wisdom may demand.

MILLARD PELL,
JAS. A. SPRAGUE,
B. KENDALL,
E. H. TAYLOR.

CONFERENCE CORPORATION REPORT OF TREASURER.

Douglas Fund.

Received from P. J. Albright, former Treasurer....	\$592 50	
Received from interest Ninth St. M. E. Church, Noblesville, Indiana	31 50	
Received from interest Certificate deposit, Bank....	3 60	
		\$627 10
Paid to F. C. Deventer, Treasurer of Leo Cemetery, Douglas lot		5 00
Total Fund on Hand		\$622 10

Bashore Fund.

1915, May 14, Received cash for damages for right of way through land, Elkhart County, Indiana...	570 00
Paid out for gravel road bonds income from which goes to Mrs. Bashore for life	\$558 00
Premium paid on bonds	6 54
Paid by expense to Goshen looking after matter....	2 45
Cash in my hands	3 01
Total	570 00

Marsh Fund.

Received from sale of land in Marshall County, Ind..	\$5,000 00
Received from W. E. Hogan proceeds from crops sold	371 26
Note and Mortgage for purchase price from sale of land from Zeba Truex	7,000 00
	\$12,371 26

Credit.

By cash paid to Inwood Methodist Church for Richland Church Property	\$200 00
By cash paid Zeba Truex and Wm. White for possession, etc.	100 00
By cash paid for tax on said land	93 66
By cash paid for abstract, perfecting title, deeds, revenue stamps, recording, and so forth	50 10
By cash paid for paper for house on farm	8 05
By cash paid for my personal expense for railroad fare, auto, livery, hotel, etc., in making sale....	50 67
By cash paid W. E. Hogan for expense incurred....	10 00
By cash paid St. Paul Methodist Church, Elkhart, Ind	2,500 00
Cash on hand	2,358 78
Note on mortgage held by me for purchase money..	7,000 00
	\$12,371 26

Respectfully submitted,

C. U. WADE, *Treasurer.*

O. K.

E. L. JONES,
G. E. GARRISON,
Auditing Committee.

COMMISSION ON FINANCE.

WHEREAS, The multiplicity of non-official appeals for financial assistance constantly increases, as does the tremendous summons to meet the needs of the day as felt by our own great Benevolent Boards; therefore, be it

Resolved, First, That, in harmony with General Conference action, we admit to our pulpits for presentation and financial appeal only those causes which bear official recognition of the church, namely, our Disciplinary benevolences and such other benevolent interests as are authorized by the Annual Conference—Sustentation, Indiana Methodist Hospital, Home for the Aged at Warren, Ind., the Anti-Saloon League, and the Preachers' Aid Society.

Second, That no exception of emergency character be made without the consent of the local Official Board.

Third, That the Preachers' Aid Society have right of way for this year in those churches where the endowment campaign has not been completed.

Fourth, That we recognize, in view of the imperative need, the very special appeal to save Saint Paul Church, Elkhart, and will open our charges to its representatives.

J. A. BEATTY, *President*,
LESLIE J. NAFTZGER, *Secretary*.

DISTRICT CONFERENCE JOURNALS.

We have carefully examined the journals of 1916 for the following districts and pass upon them with favor: Fort Wayne, Muncie, Goshen, Richmond, and Wabash. We also approve the record of the Fort Wayne District for 1915, which was not in the hands of last year's committee. We are especially impressed with the neatness of arrangement and the attractive binding of the volumes from Goshen and Richmond Districts.

CHAS. E. WHITE,
J. CHAS. WOODRUFF,
C. B. DOUGHERTY,
Committee.

EDUCATION.

There is no work in the world in which the factor of personality counts for so much as in the ministry. Our people are not devoted to the hero nor to the man of priestcraft, but to the man who has qualities of leadership. He must be eminently human, but must have the spirit of Jesus, which is the spirit of prophecy. We urge that this spirit be cultivated in our theological schools with all faithfulness.

Garrett Biblical Institute, situated at Evanston, Ill., with such men as Professor Lynn Harold Hough, D.D., who has addressed our sessions with such great profit to us, is certainly helping largely in this great work. The school year is divided into quarters and the diploma course has been shortened to two years to meet the present demands. Garrett is peculiarly fitted to furnish training to our young men of the Middle West.

Drew Theological Seminary reports one of the most prosperous years in her history, with large enrollment, new and important courses to meet modern demands. It offers a well-balanced course of study in Biblical subjects with exceptional opportunities for study of the problems involved in social service and their solution.

Boston School of Theology has greatly enlarged her facilities for work both in buildings and courses of study. A new chapel has been added at an expense of \$100,000. We note, with pleasure, the increase of the evangelistic spirit as indicated by the work of the Gospel Teams averaging some six hundred conversions per year. We commend Dean Birney and his co-laborers in this great work.

DEPAUW UNIVERSITY.—We have examined the report of President Grose and other officers of the University to the Board of Trustees, and found therein evidence of the continued prosperity and progress of this school. There is a substantial increase in endowments, a slight increase in the number of students, and several important additions to the Faculty. The standard of scholarship was never higher and the Christian emphasis never more pronounced. Two weeks of special meetings were held under the leadership of Dean L. J. Birney, of Boston University School of Theology, which resulted in a genuine religious awakening. We are gratified over the completion and dedication of the \$125,000 Bowman Memorial Building, in honor of the late Bishop Bowman, a former member of the North Indiana Conference.

We congratulate President Grose upon his splendid work, and assure him of our continued interest and deep desire that the University may continue to grow, not only in members, but also in spiritual power.

The American University, located at our Nation's Capital, has passed from the stage of a theory, or a dream upon the part of the leaders of our Church, to an actual realization in the thought of our people and in the eyes of the world. The most recent number of *The University Courier* indicates the breadth of the work and the quality of training available in this crowning institution of Methodism's educational system. The school is launching upon a period of wide and extended service which is certain to increase in influence and power with the passing of the years. A recent benefaction of munificent proportions has been made to the University which is broadly significant, and not only enriches the productive resources of the school, but also helps to strengthen a real sense of brotherhood and true internationalism of service.

Mr. Chester D. Massey, of Toronto, Canada, has made arrangements to turn over to the University \$50,000 from the Massey estate. The money is to create an endowment fund bearing the name of Hart A. Massey, the income of which shall be used for the support of graduate fellowships in the American University. In the assignments to such fellowships priority of claim shall be allowed to young men and women of the Dominion of Canada. But if the fellowships are not thus assigned they shall be open to all. This gift has unusual interest from the fact that it makes operative what long had been a cherished desire of the late Hart A. Massey, so widely known as the founder of the great farm implement manufactory of Canada. The senior Mr. Massey wished to make a contribution from Canada which should establish, if possible, some link between the Methodisms of Canada and of the United States.

We felicitate our colleague and brother, Dr. F. M. Stone, upon the fruitfulness of his labor and the excellent success which has attended his services in the financial interests of the University, and we confidently believe that with his continued appointment to this important post he will be able to accomplish even greater results.

We are pleased with the continued prosperity of Taylor University. It has been increasing within the past year in its material resources through the generosity of Dr. Silas C. Swallow, who gave the first five thousand dollars on condition that at least another five thousand dollars be provided. A ladies' dormitory will be erected this summer. The enrollment at present is the largest in the history of the school. Out of an enrollment of 331 students attending, 142 will enter Christian work. Of this number 94 are candidates for the ministry and 42 for the foreign field.

We recommend Dr. W. D. Parr and Dr. S. A. Shoemaker as Trustees for a period of three years, and Rev. John C. White for a period of two years.

THE BOARD OF EDUCATION.—1. We are gratified by the splendid work done by our Board of Education. Through its co-operation more than \$13,000,000 have been added to the permanent funds of our colleges and an increase of more than six thousand students has been recorded during this quadrennium. The counsel given regarding standardization of faculties, curricula, plants, equipment, and endowment has been eminently helpful.

2. To the Jubilee Campaign for Christian Education, so admirably planned by the Board, we pledge our hearty and enthusiastic co-operation.

3. The action of the Board employing a Director of Religious Work in our own colleges and for co-operation with our religious workers at State institutions is especially commendable. Excellent results already appear.

4. The thorough investigation of educational conditions throughout the country, conducted by the Survey Department of the Board of Edu-

cation, is of unusual value. We could wish that the results of these studies might have the widest publicity.

5. The Children's Day Collection, which has aided from the beginning 23,386 students, last year 2,288, continues to be of greatest value, and is worthy of most loyal support.

6. We commend and approve the apportionment by the General Conference Commission on Finance of the One Public Educational Collection, authorized by the Discipline, 80 per cent at the order of the Conference, and 20 per cent assigned to the Board of Education.

7. *The Christian Student*, the Board's quarterly publication, improves constantly, and should be read widely. We urge all our pastors to secure from the office of the Board of Education the recently published series of leaflets, many of which embody valuable information gathered by the Survey Department.

We recommend the Rev. Dr. Leslie J. Naftzger as Conference visitor to this school.

We recommend as Trustees for DePauw University, Marion B. Stults, Albert B. Cline, Ralph S. Todd; and as visitor, R. L. Semans. We recommend F. P. Morris as visitor to Drew Theological Seminary; A. S. Preston to Hedding College; B. E. Parker to Garrett Biblical Institute; G. H. Myers to Boston School of Theology. We endorse the Joint Commission on Educational Institutions of Methodism in Indiana, and recommend the continuance of W. W. Martin, L. M. Edwards, and C. U. Wade as our representatives.

We recommend the following special appointments: G. R. Grose, President of DePauw University; F. M. Stone, Endowment Secretary of American University; H. B. Gough, Professor in DePauw; W. W. Sweet, Professor in DePauw; C. U. Wade, Endowment Secretary DePauw University; G. H. Myers, Endowment Secretary Hedding College.

W. B. FREELAND, <i>President</i> ,	L. M. EDWARDS.
B. E. PARKER, <i>Secretary</i> ,	C. E. WHITE,
C. H. SMITH,	F. P. MORRIS,

EDUCATIONAL COMMISSION.

The Educational Commission desires to report progress to the North Indiana Conference. Conferences have been held with the authorities of Moores Hill College looking toward the development of a new program for that institution. A joint committee of five representing Moores Hill College and DePauw University, with the Chairman of the Joint Educational Commission, after full consideration of all interests involved, declared it to be their judgment that:

"DePauw University be recognized as a College of Liberal Arts, doing work of college grade only, under the auspices of the Methodist Episcopal Church for the State of Indiana. That its authorities be encouraged to make comprehensive plans for adequate endowment and equipment in buildings, libraries, and apparatus that the institution may hold rank with the highest grade of colleges of similar purpose and character in the United States under whatever auspices.

"That Moores Hill College authorities be encouraged to develop at Moores Hill a Normal and Collegiate Institute.

"That there be established for this purpose a Junior College Department covering the first two years of college work, (2) an Academy of High School course, (3) a Normal Department covering the work of classes A and B, (4) a Department of Music, (5) a Department of Agriculture, (6) a Department of Domestic Science, (7) a Department of Christian and Biblical Literature, (8) a Department of Economics, and such other departments as may be found expedient.

"And, further, that plans be made as promptly as possible to secure funds for rebuilding Moores Hall, for clearing the institution of all current indebtedness, and for permanent initial endowment of at least \$100,000, said endowment funds to be invested securely and preserved sacredly without impairment for support.

"We recommend to the Methodism of the State of Indiana these institutions as under the direct authority of the Methodist Episcopal Church, meeting a very urgent educational need and rendering an important service to society. We moreover urge upon the attention of the wide constituency of Methodism the vital necessity of adequate provisions for these schools as training agencies for distinctively Christian service. Very largely from these institutions must come the leaders of the future in religious and Christian social constructive service. It is now of the utmost importance that these educational agencies shall be second to no others in their respective fields."

In harmony with this position, and with their own policies previously announced, the Board of Trustees of Moores Hill College are working out the new program and planning to enter upon its execution as rapidly as possible. It is anticipated that these plans will be matured in time for ample publicity before the opening of the fall term.

DEPAUW UNIVERSITY.—Aside from its School of Music, DePauw University is doing only college work, having ceased entirely its academy. The student enrollment in the College of Liberal Arts for 1914-1915 was as follows: Men, 389; women, 342; total, 731; and an enrollment in the summer school of 86, a slight increase in the number of students of college grade over the previous year.

The financial statement shows unincumbered endowment to the amount of \$1,218,959.51.

A gymnasium costing \$125,000 has been completed.

The available funds for the University current budget have been somewhat increased, making possible some additions to the Faculty.

A program has been put forward which contemplates providing within the next five years \$500,000 for increase of permanent endowment; \$150,000 for Women's Dormitory; \$50,000 for an Administration Building; and \$50,000 for a Conservatory of Music.

In view of advancing educational standards and the evident need of maintaining at least one College of Liberal Arts under the auspices of our Church with sufficient resources and equipment to stand with the best institutions of learning, this program is modest. The emphasis should, we believe, be given to the increase of endowment, the first requisite being adequate resources.

The status of Taylor University has not changed. Not being regularly under the authority of the Methodist Episcopal Church, it does not seem to the Commission that we are in a position to make thorough survey of this institution in its field, or to make definite recommendations as to its policies or future program.

The Indiana Conference, at its session in October, adopted recommendations made by the Commission providing for the establishment of an associate pastorate at Bloomington in connection with the First Church, and under the immediate direction of its pastor and Official Board, and providing by apportionment to the charges of the Conference for a fund of \$1,500 to provide for student work under this arrangement. This apportionment has been made by the District Superintendents.

The North Indiana Conference is hereby requested to continue as members of the Commission.

The Commission notes the establishment and continuance of the student pastorate at LaFayette in relation to Purdue University; the Northwest and the North Indiana Conferences joining in appropriations for its support. Already the influence of the student pastorate is much felt in

the student life at Purdue and in the relationship between the students and the Churches.

Sooner or later it is the conviction of your Commission that some systematic and well organized courses in Biblical Literature, Ethics, and Religion should develop in connection with the State institutions. Such work doubtless should be under joint interdenominational auspices.

A. B. STORMS, *Chairman*,
LOREN M. EDWARDS, *Secretary*.

FOREIGN MISSIONS.

The Kingdom of God moves on. From all parts of the earth there comes encouraging news of missionary victory. The loyalty and heroism of the devoted missionaries who have consecrated their lives to the Prince of Peace is being rewarded by a great fruitage for God. The Macedonian call is louder and more imperative than ever before in the history of the Church. Thousands of seeking heathen are literally pushing their way into the Kingdom of God. We hear with profound regret that the contributions for missions from the countries of Europe have been very seriously diminished. This means that the Christian people of America will need to increase their contributions very materially in order that the work of Foreign Missions, now so seriously handicapped by that fearful cataclysm of European war, may move on to great victories for God.

We urge to this end that our people in all the charges of the North Indiana Conference shall give careful observance to the coming "Self-Denial Week," which is fixed by the Board of Foreign Missions for the week beginning Sunday, April 16, and ending with Easter Day. We also urge that our people make this period the greatest week of self-denial ever known within the bounds of the North Indiana Conference.

We recommend that all of our pastors shall diligently circulate the literature and carefully follow the methods of the Board of Foreign Missions, in order that our people may become intelligently and sympathetically informed in regard to the needs and opportunities of this important world uplifting work.

We are greatly pleased to learn of the increasing contributions, as reported by our devoted pastors and District Superintendents.

We pledge ourselves anew to earnest efforts in promoting the interests of this Divinely Commanded and signally blessed portion of the vineyard of the Lord.

C. U. WADE,	D. H. GUILD,
A. G. NEAL,	T. M. GUILD,
E. S. RILEY,	H. C. HARMAN.

FREEDMEN'S AID SOCIETY.

The work of the Freedmen's Aid Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church has been carried on through the past year in twenty-two schools, with 351 teachers and 5,804 students. It has been a year of unusual difficulty and stress to the schools, principally caused by the war conditions in European countries.

The cotton crop furnishes the main industry by which the masses of the people of the Southern States secure a livelihood. Almost the entire Negro population is engaged in cotton raising. When a large proportion of the market for this product is cut off, and the price received falls below the cost of production, the laborers are first to feel the loss. Last year many millions of dollars worth had to be marketed at such a price as left no margin for the Negro farmers, by whose toil it was produced. Our

colored families, who had been sending their children to the schools and paying the small expenses of their education out of their savings earned in the cotton fields, this year found themselves without funds, either for Conference collections toward the maintenance of the schools or the payment of their children's expenses.

These special conditions of financial stress on account of the war are likely to continue throughout the coming year, calling for increased offerings from the Church at large with which to carry the schools over the present crisis.

We therefore recommend that during the coming year each pastor shall take special pains to present the work of the Freedmen's Aid Society to our congregations, and that a special effort be made to make an increase of ten per cent in the collections over the preceding year. If this increased amount is reached, it will avoid the necessity of an indebtedness to the Society, and make possible the continuance of the moral, industrial, and intellectual work so necessary in the present stage of the development of the ten millions of people of the African descent, who look to the churches for trained Christian leadership.

We further recommend that each pastor observe the Lincoln Day Anniversary, February 11, 1917, and send to the Society, 220 West Fourth Street, Cincinnati, Ohio, for a sufficient number of copies of the Lincoln Day Program to supply the members of his congregation and Sunday School. These programs are furnished free on request.

We commend the Rev. Patrick J. Maveety for his presence and presentation before our Conference of the work of the Freedmen's Aid Society.

L. G. JACOBS, *Chairman*,
W. E. MCPHEETERS, *Secretary*.

HOME MISSIONS AND CHURCH EXTENSION.

The Board of Home Missions and Church Extension has a large place in the making of our citizenship and the protecting of our American homes. It is one of the greatest instruments in the hands of God to carry on the mighty work of the church.

We rejoice in the fact that God has given up so wonderful a vision and task. The vision of a sin-cursed world redeemed through the Gospel of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ should lead us onward into a mighty campaign in the forward movement for the Kingdom.

The present world-crisis points out the United States as the center of Christlike power and the base of Gospel missionary operations.

It is our duty to win and hold the mingled companies of our great land and nation, and to carry the message of salvation to all nations, and in this claim is laid upon us our careful consideration of how best to bring to them the message of love.

Our Conference is increasing its giving year after year, thus widening our interest in thus increasing the work of the Society, which we highly commend for its wonderful success.

We seek for this Board the earnest sympathy and hearty support of all our people, and sincerely pray the day may speedily come when our fair America may present a solid front in the awful struggle and fight against sin, to conquer in the name of our Christ, and to accomplish this end we heartily pledge our support to the increasing responsibilities of our Board of Home Missions and Church Extension.

JOHN C. WHITE,	J. A. PATTERSON,
JOHN J. FRED,	J. O. CAMPBELL,
GEO. W. MARTIN,	A. L. LAMPOR.

MEMORIAL HOME.

Your Committee for the Methodist Memorial Home submits the following:

1. We rejoice in the success of the home as manifested by the health and happiness of those persons who have been admitted thereto, and by the excellent report of the assets and liabilities which are as follows:

RESOURCES.	
Cash in Treasury	\$2,082 62
Chopson Farm	17,681 20
Riverside Farm	8,084 75
Buildings and Grounds	50,121 07
Furniture and Furnishings	4,551 58
Tools and Equipments	1,422 72
Real Estate	42,087 92
Bond Account	3,552 92
Cash Endowment	2,696 86
Cash Superintendent	489 69
Live Stock	630 27
Total	\$163,282 60
LIABILITIES.	
Annuity Fund	\$9,020 00
Building Fund	50,000 00
Contingent Fund	9,937 69
Endowment Productive	35,546 95
Non-Productive	58,777 96
Total	\$163,282 60

2. We commend the Rev. E. L. Jones and wife for their efficient, economical administration of the affairs of the institution. They command the highest respect, not only of the members in the home, but of every Methodist in the North Indiana Conference.

3. We recommend that the Rev. E. L. Jones and wife be reappointed as Superintendent and Corresponding Secretary, respectively, of the institution for another year.

4. We recommend that the Committee apportion to the charges of the Conference for this benevolence the sum of ten cents per member as the Home Sustaining Fund.

5. Whereas, worthy members of the Methodist Church are prevented from entering the Home for the Aged because of their inability to pay the required entrance fee, we recommend that the amount apportioned and raised in each district shall hereafter help to pay the entrance fee of such worthy members of our Church to the amount of fifty per cent of the amount required for admission, said credits to apply to applicants from amounts raised from the district of which the applicant is a member.

E. C. DUNN, *President*,
J. H. PALMER, *Secretary*.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL HOSPITAL AND DEACONESS HOME OF THE STATE OF INDIANA.

"Art thou he that should come, or do we look for another? Go and show John—the blind receive their sight and the lame walk, the lepers are cleansed, and the deaf hear, the dead are raised up, and the poor have." The simply tremendous apologetic of the Hospital cannot be exaggerated. Before its benign ministries to the poor the gainsayers stand speechless.

We therefore heartily recommend the apportionment of ten cents per member to the charges for the sustaining fund, and urge the continuance of free-will offerings which will enable Christian love and business wisdom to keep a correct balance sheet.

"There was no room for them." As many as eleven patients have been turned away in two days on account of lack of beds, but never any for lack of ability to pay. The north pavilion, with its possible 100 beds, must be finished and furnished; additional surgeries must be provided, and the nurses' home built. We cordially endorse the campaign now inaugurated to raise the funds for these purposes. The North Indiana Conference will do its share.

The Hospital is inseparably connected with the Church; indeed, it is the Church giving the loving touch of Jesus. We will tolerate nothing in the institution in the work and training of our nurses, in the ministries of our internes, or in the service of the numerous employees which will in any way misrepresent the Spirit of Christ as interpreted by our Methodism.

We heartily commend our Secretary-Superintendent, Dr. Chas. S. Woods, as one eminently qualified to give a successful administration, and greatly appreciate his business-like address to us.

We count ourselves happy to have the President of the Hospital, the Hon. Chas. W. Fairbanks, pay us a visit, and we thank him for his felicitous words in behalf of this great cause.

We hereby nominate, to succeed themselves, the Rev. W. D. Parr and Mr. Edwin A. Rutenber, Trustees, for three years, their terms to expire in 1919.

LESLIE J. NAFTZGER, *Chairman*,
SHERMAN POWELL, *Secretary*.

PARSONAGES AND FURNITURE.

We, your Committee on Parsonages and Furniture, report with pleasure that this Conference now has some 214 parsonages at a total valuation of \$524,800, leaving but twenty-eight charges having no parsonage for the minister. This is a consideration of the laymen that is appreciated by every pastor in the Conference.

We recommend that each District Superintendent in the First Quarterly Conference shall call the attention of the Trustees of our parsonage properties that it is now the policy of our stronger Conferences to provide the larger and heavier house furnishings, and that we recommend this to be the program of this Conference.

We further recommend that whereas in these days of our growing Methodism it is often necessary to divide certain charges with parsonage property in common, wherever it is required we believe that each society shall have their interests properly guarded in fairness to all.

J. F. LUTEY, *Chairman*.

C. M. VAWTER,

E. E. LUTES,

J. W. BOWEN, *Secretary*,

E. E. DEWITT,

J. C. VALENTINE.

G. W. MARTIN,

Committee.

PREACHERS' AID SOCIETY CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS.

ARTICLE I.—NAME AND SEAL.

SECTION 1. The corporate name of this organization shall be "The Preachers' Aid Society of the North Indiana Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church." It is organized under the provisions of an Act of the Legislature of the State of Indiana, entitled, "An Act Concerning the Organization of Voluntary Associations, and Repealing Former Laws

in Relation Thereto," approved February 12, 1855, and "an act amendatory thereto," approved February 10, 1863.

SEC. 2. The corporate seal of this society shall be a metallic impression, with the following words and letters, to-wit: "The Preachers' Aid Soc., N. Ind. Conf., M. E. Church."

ARTICLE 2.—OBJECT AND FUNDS.

SECTION 1. The object of this society is to raise and perpetually maintain a fund for the relief of the preachers of said Conference, and their families, in accordance with the provisions and restrictions of this Constitution and in harmony with the spirit of paragraph two hundred and ninety-three (293) of the Discipline of the Methodist Episcopal Church of nineteen hundred (1900).

SEC. 2. Said fund shall consist of:

First. Funds received by this Conference from the division of the capital stock of "The Preachers' Aid Society of the Indiana Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, incorporated by an act approved February 12, 1841."

Second. Amounts specifically appropriated to this object from the Centenary contribution of 1866 of said Church, and also those of the twentieth century.

Third. Devises, bequests, gifts, and donation of property, real and personal, also gifts and donations of bonds, stocks, monies, and anything else of value that may legitimately come into the possession of and be received by said Society.

SEC. 3. The fund shall be permanent, but all the proceeds arising from rents, interest, or any investment that brings an income, shall, after the payment of all incidental expenses, be distributed annually as herein directed.

SEC. 4. The money received as dues or fees from the members of the Society, together with such other sums as may be designated for this purpose, shall constitute an Administration Fund, from which shall be paid the general expenses of the Society.

ARTICLE 3.—MEMBERSHIP.

SECTION 1. The membership of this Society shall consist of two classes, (1) Beneficiary and (2) Non-Beneficiary.

SEC. 2. Beneficiary Members. Effective members of the North Indiana Conference are members in the first class.

Furthermore, provided, that no one who is now a superannuated minister of the North Indiana Conference, or a widow of a deceased minister of said Conference, shall be cut off from its benefits if he or she shall hereafter fully discharge all indebtedness of unpaid dues.

SEC. 3. Non-Beneficiary Members. Any lay member or friend of the Church and ministry is eligible to membership in this second class.

SEC. 4. Beneficiary Members, Fees and Dues.—1. The annual fee for beneficiary members shall be not less than one per cent of the cash salary which the said member received during the year, just closing, as reported to the Annual Conference, until his payment shall amount in the aggregate to one hundred dollars. Or he may elect to pay in annual installments of not less than ten dollars each, or in larger amounts, until he has paid in one hundred dollars, when he shall, in either case, receive a certificate of life membership, not transferable and non-forfeitable, except as indicated by this Constitution.

2. Any member who may fail to pay regularly annual dues or installments shall pay interest on same at the rate of six per cent compounded annually for the delayed time.

SEC. 5. Non-Beneficiary Members, Fees and Dues.—1. One may be-

come a life member by the payment of fifty dollars at one time, or a life patron by the payment of one hundred dollars in the same manner.

2. The members or patrons in this class shall be entitled to participate in all the proceedings of the Society, provided they are members of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

SEC. 6. Transfers, Locations, Withdrawals, etc.—1. In the event that any minister who is a member of this Society, and has paid one hundred dollars, or is in process of paying that amount into the permanent fund of this organization, shall be transferred to another Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, he shall not thereby forfeit his claims as a beneficiary member, but may receive its benefits upon the same conditions as if he had remained a member of the North Indiana Conference. Provided that with this amount he does not receive more than his legal claim.

2. If any transferred member fails to forward to this Society any amount of principal or interest when due from him, then such a sum shall be subtracted from his credits to the Society's funds as will cover his indebtedness to said Society, and if he should allow his credits to become entirely absorbed, in that event he shall have no further claims upon the Society.

3. Should any member of this Society, who has paid, or is in process of paying, one hundred dollars to said permanent fund, be located at his own request, or by action of the Annual Conference in accordance with the provisions of the Discipline, without his request, he shall have refunded to him, if he makes request within one year from the date of location, two-thirds of the cash amount actually paid by him to the permanent fund, but no part whatever shall be returned of cash benefits credited, thereby canceling all further claims upon the Society.

4. Any member of this Society who may withdraw from the Methodist Episcopal Church or who has been expelled from the Annual Conference, shall thereby forfeit his membership in this Society, and all claim to its benefits and all that he may have paid into the Society. The same rule shall apply to any widow of a deceased minister who was a member of this body.

If, however, any one who has been expelled shall be restored, that one may again receive benefits, but not for the time while expelled.

ARTICLE 4.—OFFICERS AND MANAGERS.

SECTION 1.—1. The officers of this Society shall be a President, Vice-president, Secretary, Treasurer, General Secretary, and seven managers.

2. The officers and managers shall be elected at the annual meetings of the Society, and shall hold their offices until the close of the next ensuing Annual Conference, or until their successors are elected. They, together, shall constitute a Board of Control, having full power to manage the affairs of the Society, subject to this Constitution.

3. The Treasurer and three managers shall be laymen resident in the city of Muncie or vicinity.

4. Before entering upon the duties of his office, the Board of Control shall provide, through a reliable Surety Company, or in some other satisfactory manner, that the Treasurer may give bond and security in the penal sum of fifteen thousand dollars, which may at any time be increased at the discretion of the Board. Said bond shall be filed with the Secretary.

5. The Board shall have power to make By-Laws for its own government not inconsistent with this Constitution.

6. Any vacancy in office caused by death, resignation, or otherwise, during the interim of the Annual Conference, may be filled by the Board, called at any time by the President or any three members of the Board.

ARTICLE 5.—BENEFITS.

SECTION 1. If any member shall become a claimant before he has paid into the permanent fund of the Society the full sum of one hundred dollars, then not less than one-half of the benefits which would accrue to him, or to his family, shall be withheld each year and turned into the funds, until he shall have one hundred dollars to his credit, when there shall be issued to him, or to his wife, a certificate of life membership.

SEC 2.—1. The proceeds of this Society shall be distributed according to the following basis:

(1) A superannuated minister shall be allowed annually ten dollars for each year of his effective service.

(2) A widow shall be allowed annually five dollars for each year she was the wife of a minister during his effective service.

(3) Each child, under sixteen years of age, of a deceased minister, shall be allowed annually two dollars for each year of the father's effective service, provided, nevertheless, that no widow and children shall receive more than the father might have received had he been a claimant.

2. Before any minister, or his family, may receive benefits from this Society he shall present to the Disbursing Committee, or to any whose duty it is to distribute the funds of the Society, a certificate signed by the Secretary of the Conference, or Conferences, one for each Conference of which he may have been a member, showing definitely and accurately the number of years of effective service while in full connection.

3. If the claimant is a widow, her certificate shall show the number of years that she was the wife of an effective minister in full connection with an Annual Conference.

4. A certificate for a child, or children, of a deceased minister shall show the number of years of the father's effective service and also the date of birth of each child.

5. Years of service shall include two years on trial.

ARTICLE 6.—ANNUAL AND SPECIAL MEETINGS.

SEC. 1.—1. The annual meeting of the Board of Control shall be held in the city of Muncie, within thirty days next preceding the sessions of the Annual Conference, upon the call of the President or the highest ranking officer of the Board. Special meetings of the Board may be called at any time by the President or any three members thereof, upon reasonable notice being given to all members of the Board. In all meetings of the Board five shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

2. The annual meetings of the Society shall be held at the seat of the Annual Conference, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of the second day of the session, the President of the Conference presiding. This meeting shall be for the purpose of electing officers and managers for the ensuing year; to receive and pass upon the annual report of the Board of Control, made out according to the order found in the accompanying By-Laws, and to transact any other business pertaining to the interests of the Society. This meeting may adjourn to any other day or days of the Conference session; or, in an emergency, the President and Secretary may call a meeting of the Society on any day before the Conference closes; and it shall require the presence of thirty-five members to constitute a quorum.

3. In the interim of the Annual Conference sessions, meetings of the Society may be called by the President, Secretary, and any three members of the Board, twenty days' notice having been given in the official Church paper (Weekly Advocate), having the largest circulation within the bounds of the Conference.

ARTICLE 7.—INVESTMENT OF FUNDS.

The Board shall, at its annual meeting, appoint an Investing Committee of three laymen, who shall reside in the city of Muncie, Indiana, who,

with the Treasurer, shall have discretionary power over the investments of the Society, subject to the following restrictions:

All loans of over two hundred dollars shall be secured by mortgage on unincumbered, imperishable real estate, the cash value of which shall be at least double the amount borrowed, and the net income of which shall exceed the interest.

The Investing Committee may purchase good first-mortgage paper, secured by mortgage on first-class inside city property, which shall be worth at least double the amount of the sum loaned, and shall be properly protected by good fire insurance, and the net income of which shall be double the interest. The committee may also make loans, subject to the above conditions and requirements, on inside city property. But in every case abstracts must be furnished that shall satisfy the committee that the title to the property is clear and unincumbered, where loans are sought or mortgages purchased. The committee shall have the right to purchase United States, State, county, city municipal bonds, bearing not less than six per cent interest, if the funds of the Society cannot be loaned or used as provided above.

ARTICLE 8.—THE GENERAL SECRETARY.

1. The Society, at its regular annual meeting, shall elect a General Secretary in the same manner it does the other officers of the Society. By virtue of his office he shall be a member of the Board of Control, and shall work under the direction of the Board. The Society, upon recommendation of the Board, shall determine whether the General Secretary is to give his entire time to the work of the Society. It shall determine his salary, and provide for its payment, either by a pro rata tax on the membership or by directing the Board of Control to pay it from the administration funds of the Society. In either case the salary shall be payable in monthly installments.

2. All revenues and everything of value that comes into the hands of the General Secretary shall be passed over to the Treasurer, who shall receipt therefor. When practicable, reports shall be made monthly.

ARTICLE 9.—CHANGES OF CONSTITUTION.

This Constitution, with its accompanying By-Laws, may be changed or amended at an annual meeting of the Society, by a two-thirds vote of the members present, such changes or amendments having been first recommended by a majority of all the members of the Board of Control.

BY-LAWS.

SECTION 1. The officers shall perform the same general duties at all meetings of the Board of Control that they do in the meetings of the Society.

SEC. 2. The Secretary shall keep a full and permanent record, in book form, of all the transactions of business, both of the Society and the Board of Control. He shall keep in his possession the corporate seal of the Board and all other important books and papers not belonging to the Treasurer or General Secretary.

SEC. 3. The General Secretary shall keep a list of those who have been granted certificates of life membership, and also a list of those who are in the process of becoming life members. He shall credit them with the payments they make from year to year, charging them six per cent, compound interest, on all deferred payments until paid, this interest to be paid into the administration fund. The General Secretary shall make out all certificates for life membership, which shall bear the signature of the President and General Secretary of the Society.

SEC. 4. Any note executed to the Society by any of its members, and remaining unpaid, shall be deducted from the allowance made to him, his

widow, or his children; but neither the Society nor the Board of Control shall have the power to apply the amounts to the payment of any other claim.

SEC. 5. The report of the Board of Control to the annual meeting of the Society shall embrace the following items:

1. Total Permanent Fund at last report.
2. Total Permanent Fund at present.
3. Changes explained in detail.
4. Amounts now invested, with kinds of security.
5. Net proceeds reported last year.
6. Net proceeds for the present year.
7. Differences explained in detail.
8. Any other items necessary to complete the exhibit of the financial status of the Society.

SEC. 6. The Treasurer of this Society shall be vested with the same authority that the President, Vice-president, and Secretary now have by law to release upon the record all mortgages, judgments, and other record liens, and all such releases heretofore executed by Treasurers of this Society are hereby fully ratified and confirmed.

PREACHERS' AID SOCIETY GENERAL SECRETARY.

DEAR BRETHREN: At the session of 1910 I was appointed General Secretary of the Preachers' Aid Society. My predecessor had done good work, but had met with discouragement, and the outlook for the Society was not inspiring.

By the spring of 1912 a deeper interest had been awakened and at our session that year a definite call for advance was made and a commission of three laymen and two preachers from each district appointed to plan for the raising of the \$60,000 asked to be added to the permanent fund. At the session of 1913 the report of this commission was adopted in these words: "That the early part of the coming Conference year be devoted to this work, District Days to be observed, under the direction of the District Superintendents and the General Secretary. Goshen and Fort Wayne Districts are asked to observe the second Sunday in May, the other districts to follow so as to complete the work by the first of July."

In following out this order of the Conference, which was supplemented by an appeal from Bishop McDowell to North Indiana Methodists and a circular letter containing specific directions to the pastors, the Goshen District reached and passed its goal in June of that year. The other districts have come along more gradually, the Logansport, Wabash, and Richmond Districts having not yet completed their tasks. The present status of the campaign is as follows:

District.	Pledged.	Paid.	Unpaid.
Fort Wayne	\$11,040	\$7,316	\$3,724
Goshen	11,223	8,477	2,746
Logansport	8,072	3,018	5,054
Muncie	10,741	5,530	5,211
Richmond	3,714	2,692	1,022
Wabash	6,759	3,811	2,948
Total	\$51,549	\$30,844	\$20,705

The following figures indicate the advance of the last six years:

Item.	1910.	1916.	Increase.
Cash in Treasury	\$37,084	\$74,912	\$37,828
Real Estate	18,206	12,220	*5,986

*Decrease.

Notes	9,842	10,803	961
Subscription	1,571	20,699	19,128
After-death Bonds	13,350	14,850	1,500
Probated Will .....	....	1,000	1,000

With hearty thanks to the brethren for the co-operation given, which in many cases has been most cordial and enthusiastic.

J. W. CAIN, *General Secretary*.

PREACHERS' AID SOCIETY MEMORIAL FUNDS.

Arthur and Lucinda Bland	\$500 00
Elihu Cecil	200 00
David Glunt	100 00
Dr. William and Marie H. Lomax	2,000 00
William G. Jones	100 00
Rev. Emmor D. Robbins	200 00
D. D. Boyd	100 00
I. M. and Nancy E. Ridenour	1,000 00
Pastors' Wives of North Indiana Conference	646 00
Rev. C. G. and Hannah B. Hudson	500 00
George W. Ward	1,000 00

PREACHERS' AID SOCIETY—REPORT OF SECRETARY.

Total assets reported last year	\$119,350 29
Total assets reported this year	133,239 26
Increase	\$13,888 97

ITEMIZED STATEMENT OF ASSETS IN THE HANDS OF THE TREASURER.

Money loaned on personal security	\$75 00
Money loaned on approved mortgage security	69,512 00
Cash in the hands of the Treasurer	4,625 26
Total	\$74,212 26
Increase over last year	\$10,650 81

IN THE HANDS OF THE GENERAL SECRETARY.

Value of real estate	\$12,200 00
Notes in his hands	10,803 00
Subscriptions for permanent fund	20,148 00
After-death bonds	14,850 00
Bequest Estate of N. W. Brown	1,000 00
Cash in his hands	26 00
Total in his hands	59,027 00
Total assets	\$133,239 26
Amount turned over to the Conference for distribution this year	\$3,477 00

Respectfully submitted,

C. U. WADE, *Secretary*.

SOCIAL AND MORAL QUESTIONS.

We, your Committee on Social and Moral Questions, beg leave to submit the following report:

1. It is not only our duty to reach the individual with the claims of the Gospel, but also to redeem the community from those social and moral evils that tend to compromise the influence of the Church.

2. We affirm the teaching of the Holy Scriptures regarding the proper observance of the Sabbath Day. We deplore the fact that there is a growing tendency to desecrate this Holy Day by unnecessary travel, visiting, games of sport, and numerous other diversions not in keeping with the spirit of the day. We deplore the fact that in many of our cities the moving picture shows are permitted to run on the Sabbath Day, and recommend that our pastors use their influence to prevail upon the city administrations to enact ordinances for the control of this evil.

3. We recommend to our people only such amusements as can be taken in harmony with the development of the highest Christian character.

4. We recommend that our pastors in a forceful and tactful manner endeavor to create sentiment against the immoral and suggestive exhibitions in moving pictures.

5. We heartily indorse and commend the action of all papers and magazines that have refused to give space in their columns for the advertising of the liquor interests.

6. In the light of social tendencies to evil we certainly affirm our faith in and pledge our support to the position of the Church, as indicated in paragraph 68 in our Discipline, and recommend that there be no backward step in this matter.

7. We are in hearty accord with any and all movements working for the entire suppression of polygamy, as practiced by Mormonism in violation of the law, and recommend that our people refuse to receive or read literature distributed by Mormon Elders.

8. We deplore the fact that the divorce evil is on the increase, and in consideration of the fact that the virtues of our homes are affected thereby, we pledge ourselves to encourage and support legislation that will increase the difficulty of securing divorces, and adhere strictly to the law of the Church regarding the re-marriage of divorced people.

9. We deplore the fact that in many places our national holidays are celebrated in very questionable ways, and pledge ourselves to use our influence in the communities where we reside to a more reverent, thoughtful, patriotic, and dignified observance of the same.

EARL NAFTZGER, *Chairman*.
J. P. CHAMNESS, *Secretary*.

W. E. LOVELESS,
C. M. HOBBS.

SUNDAY SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

The Committee recognizes the great importance and growing interest in the Sunday School, as indicated in the reports of the past year. This is of no small interest in the future of the Church.

The reports of the year just closing indicate that the note of evangelism has been sounded, and many Churches have found a fruitful harvest in the number of conversions from the Sunday School. Increased missionary instruction in the Sunday School has resulted in two distinct lines of advance; one the advance in missionary offerings, the other a larger vision of world evangelism.

Believing that larger possibilities await discovery, we recommend that the coming year will mean a more efficient and aggressive effort. We would call our pastors, Sunday School workers, and Church leaders to emphasize more definitely the missionary policy of the Church; that the

Graded Lessons be recognized as of greater value, and be introduced as soon as possible in our Methodist Schools.

We believe that teacher training should have a place in our Sunday Schools, that efficient leaders must be trained for service. We recommend that the Probationers' Manual be used for the training of youth, and commend it to the pastors.

GEORGE E. GARRISON, *Chairman*,
CHAS. A. CLOUD,
D. T. STEPHENSON.

SUSTENTATION.

The only apportionment made to our charges and the only money received by our Conference for local missionary work in the maintenance of ministers upon charges in the process of organization, unable adequately to support a minister, is that received from the sustentation fund; and since there yet remains so much of that kind of work to be done, we heartily recommend that cause, asking the apportionment of \$4,000, the usual amount, to the various districts.

We also recommend the addition of \$1,200 to this apportionment for the support of the student pastorate at Purdue University, making the total apportionment \$5,200, or the same amount as apportioned last year.

JAS. A. SPRAGUE, *Chairman*,
E. M. DUNBAR,
C. B. SWEENEY,
ROBERT BURNS.

SUSTENTATION.

Fort Wayne District.

J. A. Beatty, District Superintendent.

Balance on hand from last Conference	\$107 00
Received from Conference Treasurer	288 00
Special received from Geneva Church	30 00
Total	\$520 00
Paid as follows:	
Geneva Circuit	\$150 00
Spencerville	155 00
Woodburn	50 00
York	100 00
Special from Geneva Church	30 00
Total	485 00
Balance on hand	\$35 00

Goshen District.

R. J. Wade, District Superintendent.

Balance from last year	\$83 50
Received from Conference Treasurer	240 00
Received from Charges—Vouchers to Conf. Treas....	452 00
Total	\$775 50

Paid as follows:

Purdue Student Pastor	\$200 00
St. Paul, Elkhart	393 83
Clunette	115 50
Simpson Memorial	75 00
Goshen Circuit	9 00
St. Mark's	15 00
Elkhart Circuit	41 50
Warsaw Circuit	25 00
Wawaka	10 00
Total	<u>884 83</u>
Overdrawn	\$109 33

Muncie District, 1915.

Chas. E. Line, District Superintendent.

Received in cash from the Conference	\$219 00
Received in cash from High Street Church	100 00
Received in cash from First Church, Anderson	100 00
Total	<u>\$419 00</u>
Paid as follows:	
To Normal City, Muncie	\$100 00
To Grace Church, Anderson	51 60
To Noble Street, Anderson	50 00
To Summitville Circuit	38 00
To Indiana Avenue, Anderson	25 00
To Park Place and Daleville	45 00
To Westfield	25 00
To Shideler	20 00
To Fishers	15 00
To Alexandria Circuit	11 00
Total	<u>380 60</u>
Balance on hand	\$38 40

Home Missionary Fund.

Received in cash	\$160 00
Paid as follows:	
To Middletown	\$100 00
To Park Place and Daleville	60 00
Total	<u>\$160 00</u>

Muncie District, 1916.

C. E. Line, District Superintendent.

Home Missionary Money.

Received from the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension	\$260 41
Paid to Park Place, Anderson	\$108 00
Paid to Westfield	100 00
Total	<u>208 00</u>
Balance on hand	\$52 41

Sustentation.

Received from Conference Treasurer	\$272 00
Received from High Street, Muncie	100 00
Received from First Church, Noblesville	50 00
Total	<u>\$422 00</u>

Paid as follows:

To Normal City	\$100 00
To Noblesville Circuit	50 00
To Westfield	42 00
To Whitely	30 00
To Yorktown	40 00
To Park Place, Anderson	25 00
To Noble Street, Anderson	25 00
To Indiana Avenue, Anderson	25 00
To Shideler	20 00
To Ingalls	20 00
To Hartford City Circuit	15 00
To Roll and Asbury	15 00
To Summitville Circuit	15 00
To Alexandria Circuit	11 00
Total	<u>433 00</u>
Overdraft	<u>\$11 00</u>

Richmond District.

Somerville Light, District Superintendent.

Amount received from Conference	\$205 00
Amount distributed	100 00
Balance on hand	<u>\$105 00</u>

Wabash District.

M. S. Marble, District Superintendent.

Balance in bank at last report	\$76 00
Received from Conference Treasurer	409 00
Total	<u>\$485 00</u>
Disbursed, as per vouchers herewith enclosed	151 67
Balance in bank	<u>\$333 33</u>

TEMPERANCE REPORT.

We are greatly rejoiced over the splendid progress of the prohibition movement, both at home and abroad. We believe the time is not far distant when our State and Nation will banish from our midst forever the legalized liquor traffic. We are confident that now is the time to strike hard with every available weapon, that the nefarious traffic may surely and speedily die.

We have arrived at the time when Indiana should attest the wisdom of its one hundred years by falling in line with the nineteen Prohibition States. Every Christian in the State should aid in every possible way in the accomplishing of this task. Our work will not be done and our battle

will not be won until we have driven "King Barleycorn" from our Nation and branded him as an outlaw rather than a ward to be protected by license.

Our optimism over the successes of the past must not blind us to the bigness and difficulties of our task. We must win for the sake of right and everything we hold dear. There is much fighting to be done which will call for true, noble, self-sacrificing men.

We urge pastors and laymen to support no man for any public office who has not openly declared himself for State and National Prohibition. We call upon every public official to use the influence of his personality and the power of his office to aid in every possible way in the overthrow of the liquor traffic.

We commend to our pastors and laymen for their co-operation and support our Church Temperance Society, the Anti-Saloon League, and all other organizations that have for their purpose the destruction of the entire traffic.

We nominate as trustees for the Indiana Anti-Saloon League, W. W. Martin and O. A. Trabue.

We recommend for President of our Church Temperance Society, J. O. Bills; for Vice-president, F. P. Morris; for Secretary, Herbert Boase.

ASHER S. PRESTON, <i>Chairman</i> ,	A. L. WEAVER,
RAY C. BALLARD, <i>Secretary</i> ,	T. M. HILL,
CHARLES SHOEMAKER,	B. F. HORNADAY.

WOMAN'S FOREIGN MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

SPECIAL WORK.

We bring the report of our Special Work with hearts full of joy over the achievements of the past year, and of hopefulness for the coming year.

In some lines we have to report a few losses, but in others we have made gains, and since we have so many new organizations, we hope for gains along all lines during the coming year.

We have work in eight of our foreign fields, and by our dues and special offerings we support eight missionaries, four assistant workers, four hospital beds, and give a goodly sum to the general expenses of our hospital work; thirty-seven Bible women, eleven Bible women in training, five day schools, six teachers and kindergarten workers, six scholarships in the Woman's Station Class in Yenping, one hundred and seventeen regular scholarships in our various schools; help in the support of city work in some places, and pay toward current expense in our several schools and hospitals. One Auxiliary will, for the seventh consecutive year, give \$100 as a testimonial for one of their number.

Special gifts were sent to a number of our missionaries at Christmas time, although, owing to war conditions, only a few large Christmas boxes were sent to our schools during the past year.

Many of our societies give Christmas and thank-offerings, pay on the Retirement Fund, and observe Self-Denial Week.

A number of papers and magazines are being sent to our workers, but the goal "One paper to each missionary," has not yet been reached. Each Auxiliary could help in this work if they could only be made to see and realize what it means to the dear girls on the foreign field to receive a paper or magazine each month from her loved but distant homeland.

Some of the countries in which we have work are affected by the cruel war, but in most places our work is being carried on as usual, and the calls for larger buildings, better furnishings and equipment, for more teachers, nurses, and Bible women, are most urgent. Day schools, too,

are one of our greatest needs. One can be established for from \$250 to \$1,000. Who will help?

There are so many avenues of helping in our work, at prices which vary from only a few dollars to many thousands of dollars, that each member—or at least each organization—should find some work to support and become vitally interested in, and in this way help very materially to advance the Kingdom.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. A. B. CLINE, *Secretary Special Work.*

WOMAN'S FOREIGN MISSIONARY SOCIETY—CONFERENCE REPORT.

Year ending March 30, 1916.

RECEIPTS.

Fort Wayne District	\$2,728 08
Goshen District	3,424 86
Logansport District	1,927 82
Muncie District	3,156 43
Richmond District	2,479 69
Wabash District	2,376 56
Total	\$16,093 44
Richmond District Bequest:	
Susan P. Smith, of Grace Church, Richmond....	50 00
Conference Collection by Rev. D. S. Jones	10 00
Conference total	\$16,153 44

DISBURSEMENTS.

To Branch Treasurer	\$16,153 44
Respectfully submitted,	
MRS. O. E. MOHLER, <i>Treasurer.</i>	

WOMAN'S HOME MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

Greetings sincere and cordial to all Methodists assembled.

The combined activities of our 93 Auxiliaries, 6 Young Ladies' Societies, 48 Queen Esther Circles, 14 Home Guard Companies, and 31 Mothers' Jewel Bands have wrought splendid results during the past year. We have now 192 organizations, with 6,184 members.

New Auxiliaries are stationed at Geneva, Syracuse, West Middleton, New Castle, Strawns, Silver Lake, and Columbia City. Nine new Queen Esther Circles have been established at the following Churches: Trinity Church, Fort Wayne; Warsaw, Peru, Anderson First Church, New Castle (Senior and Junior), Huntington, Columbia City, and South Whitley.

Our June conventions held in the six districts were well attended. Miss Edith Ashton, Superintendent of Aiken Hall, Olive Hill, Kentucky, lent enthusiasm by her word pictures of, and heart to heart talks about the mountain girls with whom she labors.

The national meeting, held in Seattle, Washington, last September, was one of great inspiration. Great glimpses were given of the teeming multitudes in the home land who know not the Christ.

Wabash, First Church, entertained the Conference Annual in November last. Good crowds, excellent reports, earnest talks, and prompt

attention to business, all tended toward a profitable time. Miss Carrie Barge, National Field Secretary, was present and gave bountifully of her great store.

During the month of November, thank-offering addresses were made at several points by Mrs. Margaret Delight Moors—Deaconess.

"Organization" has been the watchword sent down the line from headquarters to the most remote outpost. With full desire to do our best in this admonition, Miss Olivia G. Dunlap, National Field Secretary, of Jacksonville, Ill., was called among us for special work during February. A total of 313 new members in sixteen new organizations was the result. Another campaign will be conducted in each of the districts during May and June, and even greater results are anticipated.

The text book, "Home Missions in Action," is being quite generally used in the Auxiliaries and Circles, as are also the "Woman's" and "Children's Home Missions."

Respectfully submitted,
MISS OLLA GRACE DAVIS, *Corresponding Secretary.*

WOMAN'S HOME MISSIONARY SOCIETY—TREASURER'S REPORT.

RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand at last report		\$70 19		
Conference Collection		12 44		
Convention Collection		36 22		
Sale of Treasurer's Book		17 70		
Ft. Wayne District, Cash	\$1,867 10			
Vouchers	183 42			
		\$2,050 52	Increase	\$250 80
Supplies		486 65		
Goshen District, Cash	2,623 29			
Vouchers	250 22			
		2,873 51	Decrease	72 46
Supplies		755 34		
Logansport District, Cash	2,226 23			
Vouchers	210 70			
		2,476 93	Increase	236 44
Supplies		530 08		
Muncie District, Cash	1,220 91			
Vouchers	147 15			
		1,368 06	Increase	208 02
Supplies		238 28		
Richmond District, Cash	1,285 70			
Vouchers	211 61			
		1,497 31	Decrease	69 95
Supplies		189 15		
Wabash District, Cash	1,909 08			
Vouchers	290 97			
		2,200 05	Increase	119 94
Supplies		330 83		
Total Cash Receipts	11,327 36			
Vouchers	1,294 07			
Grand total		\$12,621 43		
Increase		701 94		
Total Supplies	\$2,530 33			

DISBURSEMENTS.

Mrs. H. C. Jennings	\$10,137	21
Methodist Episcopal Hospital	517	96
Permanent Deaconess Fund	76	00
Conference Expenses	488	41
Vouchers	1,294	07
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Balance	\$12,513	65
		107 78
Respectfully submitted,		
MRS. J. W. VAIL.		

WOMAN'S WORK IN THE CHURCH.

The women of the Church of Jesus Christ are honored by their superior opportunity in contrast with the degradation of their sisters under other religions.

Women were frequent helpers in the field of labor during the ministry of Jesus and his disciples.

Great respect is shown to the women by Jesus. When called to the home of Martha and Mary, His humility was deeply touched, and it is recorded that He wept.

At another time he honored women by saying of one who had wrought a marvelous deed, "She hath done what she could."

Also, the woman who gave so lavishly of her living, that Jesus said, "Verily, I say unto you, that this poor widow hath cast more in than all they which have cast into the treasury; for all they did cast in of their abundance; but she of her want did cast in all that she had, even all her living."

These are the marks of recognition given by Jesus concerning the women who were active in helping to carry on the great work of the Master.

In these modern times the women are still keeping pace in the great interest of the Kingdom, as they have all along the way.

Some of these active fields of labor are: The Woman's Christian Temperance Union, an organization which joins together all the women of the Churches, as an army fighting for the annihilation of the liquor traffic.

The Ladies' Aid Societies, rendering efficient service in material help, as well as assisting the pastor in looking after the sick and strangers.

The Woman's Missionary Societies, Home and Foreign, are doing great work in enlightening the church concerning the opportunities for work and the need of sending the light; they are sending out many consecrated workers in all fields.

The Deaconess Sisterhood renders very valuable service in so many ways. The women are very active in Sunday School and the Epworth Leagues, and as the inspired word says concerning the patriarch of old, "Time would fail us to tell of the many other works and deeds the women are doing."

The men of the Church are very active in the spiritual affairs of the Church, for which we are very thankful, yet the women are no less active, but more abundant.

We commend them for their consecration, and pray God's blessing upon all their plans and undertakings for the building up of the Kingdom.

E. A. BUNNER,
WM. M. AMOS,
ARLINGTON G. SINGER,
J. W. CAIN,
F. P. JOHNSON.

Resolutions.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS.

We hereby express our joy in having Bishop Wm. F. McDowell to again preside over our Conference. We have been inspired by his addresses and sermon, and thank him for his generosity in giving the Conference lecture.

We express our gratitude for the royal hospitality extended to us by the pastors and the people of the Churches of Fort Wayne. Everything possible has been done to make our stay pleasant and to facilitate the work of the Conference.

We wish to thank the Rev. C. C. Travis, the pastor of Wayne Street Church, and the other pastors of the city, D. H. Guild, H. L. Overdeer, F. H. Cremean, T. M. Hill, and J. A. Beatty, District Superintendent, for their personal attention given to every detail.

We appreciate the splendid work of the Assignment Committee, and the very efficient and courteous work of the Information and Postoffice Bureaus, and the janitor of the Church.

We are grateful to the choir and the two organists of Wayne Street Church, who have added so much to the pleasure and devotional spirit of the sessions.

We thank the Tri-State Bank and the Old National Bank for their courtesies.

We record our appreciation of the extensive and discriminating reports of the Conference in the daily press of the city.

We wish to thank the Program Committee for the unexcelled program provided. We thank Dr. George Elliott for his magnificent address, and Dr. Lynn H. Hough for his instructive and inspiring addresses.

We also desire to express our gratitude to the following persons who spoke to us: Chas. W. Fairbanks, Chas. M. Boswell, Isaac T. Headland, W. S. Bovard, W. F. Sheridan, A. W. Harris, George R. Grose, P. J. Maveety, J. C. Crowther, Mrs. C. Bernheim, Dr. Wood, and L. M. Edwards.

We also thank the officers of the Conference for their tireless energy and efficient service.

L. J. NAFTZGER,
W. F. SMITH,
R. L. SEMANS,
KARL H. CARLSON.

Resolved, 1. That we accept with pleasure five additional Conference Hymns, written by Rev. T. C. Neal, extending the time of preparedness to and including 1925. 2. That the Conference Hymn shall be printed from year to year in the Official Program.

B. E. PARKER,
G. B. WORK,
W. B. FREELAND,
L. J. NAFTZGER.

I.

WHEREAS, At the Annual Conferences of the Methodist Episcopal Church of the State of Michigan the delegates to the General Conference in May were instructed to have Indiana detached from the present General Conference District, and become attached to Michigan, under the supervision of Bishop Burt, with headquarters at Detroit, Michigan; be it

Resolved, That the North Indiana Conference is opposed to this change.

II.

WHEREAS, North Indiana Conference has profited by the supervision afforded in connection with the Chicago area; therefore, be it

Resolved, That we ask the continuance of affiliation with that greatest center of Methodism on the American Continent; and be it further

Resolved, That we welcome and urge the continued helpful supervision of Bishop Wm. F. McDowell.

C. E. LINE,
R. J. WADE,
B. S. HOLLOPETER,
M. S. MARBLE,
J. A. BEATTY,
S. LIGHT.

Resolution presented by the Commission on Social Service, North Indiana Conference:

BOOK CONCERN AND LABOR.

"WHEREAS, The General Conference of 1912 declared that the Church, in its capacity as employer, should lead and not merely keep pace with the best practice of modern business, especially in developing the principle of co-operation, both in management and the division of proceeds:

And further declared that the efforts of organized labor to improve conditions should receive our heartiest cooperation;

Therefore we request the General Conference of 1916 to instruct the Book Committee as follows:

(1) To add a profit-sharing plan to its present welfare work.

(2) In the future hiring of men to adopt a preferential policy: By a preferential policy we mean that in case of applicants of equal character and ability, the preference shall be given to union men, providing, however, that in like case a prior preference be given to members of our own Church.

(3) To appoint immediately a committee, one-half of whom shall not be members of the Book Committee, but men of expert knowledge of the subject, to carefully consider during the next quadrennium the feasibility of organizing the Book Concern as a co-operative undertaking, and to report concerning the same to the General Conference of 1920."

R. L. SEMANS, *President*,
D. T. STEPHENSON,
C. CLAUDE TRAVIS,
B. EARLE PARKER,
WIRT LOWTHER,
W. F. SMITH,
W. W. MARTIN,

Commission on Social Service.

Laymen's Association.

MINUTES OF ANNUAL MEETING.

FORENOON SESSION.

The Laymen's Association of the North Indiana Conference met in annual session in the First Methodist Episcopal Church, Fort Wayne, Indiana, March 9, 1916, by call of the Executive Committee. The President, George C. Morgan, having previously resigned, D. O. Skillen, Vice-president-at-large, called the meeting to order at 10:30 A. M. Dr. Guild led the congregation in singing "I Am Here on Business for My King," and then offered the opening prayer. "Spend One Hour With Jesus" was then sung. After a few well-chosen remarks on the origin, purpose, and history of the Laymen's Association, Chairman Skillen proceeded to the discussion of the subject assigned him on the program, "The Warren Home for the Aged." After reviewing the provisions for admission to the Home, he suggested that the Trustees make provision, under certain restriction, for receiving annual payments for a term of years during the productive period of life from acceptable candidates, as apartment endowment, thus enabling eligible members of the Church to make provision for their old age before they arrive at the age of sixty-five, the present minimum age for admission. The subject was then open for discussion. After a number of questions had been raised, Dr. J. A. Beatty, a member of the Board of Trustees of the Home, was invited to give additional information.

Before adjournment for the noon recess, the chairman appointed the following committees:

Committee on Nominations—B. F. Boltz, C. W. Dancer, C. C. Ayres.

Committee on Resolutions—W. H. Fledderjohann, B. W. Ayres, E. E. Youse.

Committee on Time and Place for Next Meeting—Wm. Enslen, E. Starbuck, A. B. Cline.

Adjourned for luncheon.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The afternoon session was called to order by Chairman Skillen. After singing, C. C. Ayres led in prayer. Miss Bonetta Kanaga then rendered very beautifully a vocal solo. The Chairman introduced Brother A. B. Cline, of Bluffton, who addressed the convention on the subject, "The Outlook for the Church." Brother Cline laid the groundwork for his main theme by reviewing many items of church statistics. He observed that the three Conferences that led in the per cent of gain in membership in 1915, were, in their order, Pittsburgh, Central Pennsylvania, and North Indiana, and that these Conferences were the ones that had conducted campaigns of aggressive evangelism. This address was very timely, full of spiritual inspiration, and called the Church, both laymen and ministers, to their best endeavor. He especially emphasized the necessity of spiritual ardor and aggressiveness. He said: "The baptism of the Holy Spirit will put into the recipient a consecration that will lay itself out to the last ounce of strength in God's work. And this is not the standard for the ministry alone, but for the laity. Changes of time do not change the eternal Word of God. 'The law of the Lord is perfect,'

and what is perfect cannot be improved upon. The better method of getting money is to get the baptism of the spirit first. It is easier to walk in the light if it is in front of you, than if it is behind your back."

When Brother Cline closed and the subject was open for discussion, we found ourselves in the midst of a real evangelistic atmosphere, and the spirit of the Lord moved many to testimony. The Spirit manifested Himself and gave liberty. Those taking part in discussion, testimony, or exhortation, were Dr. Kemper, of Muncie; R. G. Marcy, of Bluffton; Elwood Starbuck, of Goshen; C. C. Ayres, of Redkey; and Ed. Pierce, of Fort Wayne. But for the chairman's calling the meeting to business session, it would have run on indefinitely.

The annual report of the Secretary-Treasurer was read, showing expenses for the year for postage, printing, and stationery, amounting to \$48.85. As the Association had found it important to have a Vice-president-at-Large, and as there was no record that the Constitution had ever been amended to make provision for such an office, a resolution was introduced so amending Section five of the Constitution. The Committee on Nominations made the following report, which was unanimously adopted: The officers for the ensuing year shall be:

President, Elwood Starbuck, Goshen.

Vice-President-at-Large, D. O. Skillen, Yorktown.

Secretary-Treasurer, B. W. Ayres, Upland.

District Vice-Presidents—Fort Wayne District, Wm. Enslin, Fort Wayne; Goshen District, D. C. Turnbull, Mishawaka; Logansport District, Geo. E. Meck, Kokomo; Muncie District, Sullivan T. Waite, Upland; Richmond District, P. A. Daily, Union City; Wabash District, Edw. E. Youse, Markle.

Committee on time and place of next meeting, recommended the second Thursday in October as the time, and either Taylor University, Upland, or Home for the Aged, Warren, as the place. The decision between these two places to be determined by ballot. The report was adopted and ballot taken, resulting in the choice of Taylor University as the place.

After announcements, Brothers Todd, of Fort Wayne, and Deam, of Bluffton, led the Association in prayer, especially asking God's blessing on the "dry forces" in the election to be held in Muncie on the following day. Adjourned to meet at 7:30.

EVENING SESSION.

The evening session was opened by a forty-minute concert given by the Schlatter Orchestra. President-elect E. Starbuck presided over the evening meeting. After singing, C. C. Ayres offered prayer. After congregational singing, Mr. Deam, of Bluffton, very effectively rendered a vocal solo, "My Heavenly Father Watches Over Me." D. O. Skillen was introduced with the request to explain to the general public the business and aims of the Association. Before he spoke, he led the congregation in singing the hymn, "Saved." After Brother Skillen had spoken briefly, Brother Todd, of Fort Wayne, an officer of the Christian Men's League, was requested to speak on the work of that organization.

He spoke of the influence the League had had, by its earnest work, on morals and good order of the city, of its law enforcement, and its influence in the recent primary elections. The Committee on Resolutions made its report, which was unanimously adopted. (The first four resolutions were resolutions of thanks for those who had contributed in various ways to the success of the meeting.) The fifth and sixth resolutions are as follows:

(5) *Resolved*, That we recommend to the Trustees of the Warren Home for the Aged the formulation and publication to the Church public a plan in detail for the endowment of apartments by members of the Methodist Episcopal Church, by the payment of annual payments, to be

made in the productive period of life, thus making provision for a home whenever the minimum age limit has been reached and other qualifications for admission have been met.

(6) *Resolved*, That as Taylor University, at Upland, Indiana, is peculiarly the laymen's institution, being the only educational institution in Methodism owned and controlled by the laymen, we reiterate our declaration of interest in the institution, and pledge it our support, and urge upon the Annual Conference and the Church in general a continuance and increase of sympathy and substantial support for this institution. We declare to the Church and to the public that our interest is not merely a passing sentiment, but a settled conviction based upon a knowledge of the character and scope of its work for the Church and for the Kingdom of Christ throughout the world.

After the adoption of the foregoing, B. W. Ayres introduced the following resolution:

Resolved, That, whereas, our esteemed brother, W. H. Fledderjohann, who has so faithfully served as Vice-President of the Fort Wayne District, is leaving this State to take up his residence in Columbus, Ohio, we express our appreciation of his fellowship and service and commend him to the fellowship of the brethren in Ohio.

After the unanimous adoption of this resolution, Brother Fledderjohann was called to the platform, and after being introduced by President Starbuck, spoke briefly of his work in the Association and of his appreciation of this kind expression by the Association.

A. B. Cline was then introduced and continued the theme of his address in the afternoon session, especially emphasizing the thought: "Ye shall have power after that the Holy Ghost is come upon you."

After a few appropriate remarks by the chairman, a closing hymn was sung and the meeting adjourned.

B. W. AYRES, *Secretary*.

Lay Electoral Conference.

Fort Wayne, Indiana, March 31, 1916.

The 1916 Lay Electoral Conference of the North Indiana Conference was called to order at 10:10 o'clock A. M., Friday, March 31, in the First Church, Fort Wayne, by Willard J. Creighton, Secretary of the 1912 Lay Conference. After a song, Brother C. C. Ayres, of Upland, Indiana, led in prayer.

Brother Elwood Starbuck, of Goshen, Indiana, was elected Chairman, and Willard J. Creighton, of Wabash, Indiana, Secretary. The roll was called and two hundred and ten delegates responded to their names. (See list.) The Chairman appointed Brothers S. T. Wait, of Upland; E. B. Funk, of Warsaw; J. C. White, of Richmond; Ralph Gaylor, of Mishawaka, and W. H. Fledderjohn, of Decatur, Committee on Resolutions.

Dr. W. S. Bovard was called to the platform, and addressed the Conference, and was well received by the delegates. Rev. Leslie J. Naftzger and Fred B. Fisher were introduced at this time, and presented the invitation of the Ministerial Conference to a joint session in Wayne Street Church at 1:30 o'clock P. M., which was unanimously accepted. The Chairman called for nominations for Lay Delegates by districts, and the following names were presented:

Frederick C. Parham, Fort Wayne, Fort Wayne District; C. C. Cartwright, Portland, Fort Wayne District; Mrs. John C. White, Elkhart, Goshen District; Dr. G. W. H. Kemper, Muncie, Muncie District; O. N. Cranor, Albany, Muncie District; George E. Meck, Kokomo, Logansport District; George A. Whitezel, Peru, Logansport District; C. L. Hand, Logansport District; Mrs. M. Josie Nelson, Union City, Richmond District; John T. Sutton, Dunkirk, Richmond District; James L. Vail, McCordsville, Richmond District; Burt W. Ayres, Upland, Wabash District; Edward Youse, Markle, Wabash District.

Tellers were announced by the Chairman as follows: J. H. Lane, Miss Mary Lane, Dr. Enslin, Charles Hegel, and Clyde Batchelor. A motion carried as follows: The seven delegates having the largest number of votes be declared elected. A motion was also carried that the three delegates having the next highest votes be declared reserve delegates. The vote was taken and the Tellers retired to count it.

During their absence, Rev. W. W. Sweet, of DePauw University, Conference Historian, presented the claims of his book, "History of Methodism in Indiana," and asked for subscriptions.

Rev. E. S. Shumaker, of the Anti-Saloon League, was introduced, and spoke upon the progress of the temperance work amid abundant applause. The Chairman appointed Brothers G. E. Meck, Dr. G. W. H. Kemper, and O. N. Cranor as a committee to send a suitable telegram to Mrs. J. F. Morrison, widow of J. F. Morrison, who was Chairman of the 1912 Lay Conference. The telegram expressing the sympathy of the Conference was sent. A collection was taken to secure money to defray the expenses of the previous Lay Conference, as sufficient delegates had not been in attendance to meet the expenses. The amount received was large enough to cancel the debt.

The Committee on Resolutions presented their report, each resolution being read separately and acted upon, after which they were adopted as a whole, as follows:

"We, your Committee on Resolutions, have examined the resolutions brought before us, and beg to report favorably on the following ones as numbered, 1, 2, 5, 7, 8, 9. The others, while meritorious, we have laid on the table owing to the lack of time to investigate and our lack of knowledge of the situation.

"1. WHEREAS, Taylor University, at Upland, Indiana, is doing a great work in the type of education which it is the duty of the church to do, and much of which cannot be done by the other schools of the church as at present organized; and,

"WHEREAS, This institution is sustaining a spiritual atmosphere which sharply differentiates it from the State schools, thus enabling it to perform the function originally intended by the founders of our system of higher education under the direction of the church; and,

"WHEREAS, The school is giving not only a general Christian education which fits for efficient service in any walk of life, but is also sending out many missionaries and ministers, who are giving their lives to soul-winning; and,

"WHEREAS, We believe that investment in this institution yields large dividends for the Kingdom, and that we should use the same good business judgment in investing the Lord's money where the best dividends are to be secured as we use in private business; and,

"WHEREAS, Taylor University is distinctively the layman's school, being the only school in Methodism owned and controlled by the laymen of the church; therefore, be it

"Resolved, By the Lay Electoral Conference in convention assembled this 31st day of March, 1916:

"First—That we pledge to the institution not only our sympathy and approval, but our cooperation and support.

"Second—That we memorialize the Annual Conference in the following particulars:

"(a) That, as credits from Taylor University are habitually recognized by State institutions and standard colleges and theological schools which are accredited by the University Senate of the church, as well as by Examining Boards of other Conferences, these grades or credits be accepted by the Examining Boards of the North Indiana Conference in lieu of examinations, when equivalent, and when duly authenticated by transcript of record signed by an officer of the school.

"(b) That students attending Taylor University be granted the same privileges in regard to their course of study in the Conference as are granted to students in other denominational schools.

"(c) That provisions be made by the Annual Conference for an increase in the amount of financial support granted to Taylor University.

"Resolved, further, That copies of these resolutions be transmitted respectively to the Secretary of the Annual Conference, the Chairman of the Conference Board of Examiners, and the Chairman of the Committee on Education.

"2. WHEREAS, At the Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church of the State of Michigan the delegates to the General Conference in May were instructed to have Indiana detached from the present district and become attached to Michigan, under the supervision of Bishop Burt, with headquarters at Detroit, Michigan; be it

"Resolved, That the North Indiana Lay Conference is opposed to this change, and that a copy of this resolution be presented to the North Indiana Conference, now in session, for such action as they may see fit.

"FRANK W. GREEN, *Lay Delegate*,

"Syracuse Church, Goshen District.

"5. Memorial to the General Conference, 1916:

"WHEREAS, The Local Preachers are an order of the Methodist Episcopal Church, licensed and ordained by the church and amenable to the church;

"WHEREAS, They have had a great part in building up and sustaining the church, the Lay Electoral Conference of the North Indiana Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church hereby memorializes your honorable body, asking that the National Association of Local Preachers of the Methodist Episcopal Church be given official recognition as one of the organizations of the church.

"7. *Be it Resolved*, By the laymen of the North Indiana Conference in convention assembled, That we oppose the proposition to assess the North Indiana Conference \$250,000 for the endowment of the Preachers' Aid Society at this time, for the reason that we believe other great primary obligations of the church to meet the needs of the world would be practically set aside by the pressure for this great sum

"*Resolved, further*, That we believe in taking care of our superannuated ministers on the basis of their actual needs.

"8. *Be it Resolved*, That this Conference heartily recommends State and National prohibition of the manufacture and sale of all intoxicating beverages.

"9. *Be it Resolved*, That this Lay Electoral Conference now in session in the First Methodist Episcopal Church express and extend a vote of thanks to the Trustees of said church for their courtesy in granting us the use of this edifice for our Conference, and that the Secretary of this Conference be authorized to extend our thanks to said Trustees.

"It is recommended by this committee that the Resolution Committee for next year be appointed as early as possible in advance of the next Conference that sufficient time may be given to intelligently pass on resolutions which may be brought before them.

"S. T. WAIT,

"E. B. FUNK,

"RALPH GAYLOR,

"J. W. SOUDER,

"W. H. FLEDDERJANN,

"Committee."

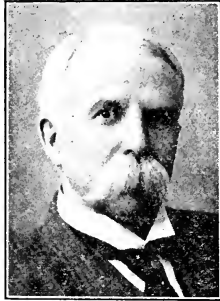
The Tellers of the ballot entered at this time with their report, which was as follows: Delegates—Edward E. Youse, Markle, 164; Mrs. John C. White, Elkhart, 148; Burt W. Ayres, Upland, 145; George E. Meck, Kokomo, 143; Frederick C. Parham, Fort Wayne, 130; Dr. G. W. H. Kemper, Muncie, 105; George A. Whitezel, Peru, 104. Reserve Delegates—John T. Sutton, Dunkirk, 101; O. N. Cranor, Albany, 91; Mrs. M. Josie Nelson, Union City, 90; C. C. Cartwright, 84; James L. Vail, 74; C. L. Hand, 44.

The Chairman declared according to the decision of the Conference the first seven were elected delegates and the next three highest reserve delegates.

A motion to adjourn prevailed, and the Conference stood adjourned without date.

WILLARD J. CREIGHTON, *Secretary*.

Memoirs



REV. WILLIAM M. VAN SLYKE.

As was noted in the Year Book of last year, the data for this memoir could not be obtained in time to have it printed then.

The subject of this sketch was born March 8, 1848. At the session of the North Indiana Conference held in Muncie in 1872 he was a member of a class of sixteen who were admitted on trial in the Conference. So far as we know, he is survived by only two members of his class, Rev. G. B. Work, of this Conference, and Rev. J. H. Pyke, who has spent more than a third of a century in China as a missionary. His first charge was Marion Circuit, to which he was sent in 1872. After that he served the following charges: 73-4, Elwood; 75, Galveston; 76-8, Wolcottville; 79-80, Orland; 81-2, New Paris; 83-4, Waterloo; 85-88, he sustained a superannuated relation to the Conference. In 1889 he was made effective and stationed at Berry Street, Fort Wayne, now First Church, where he remained until the spring of 1892, when he was again placed on the superannuated list. He sustained this relation until the time of his death, though he did considerable work for the church during the earlier years of his superannuation.

Brother VanSlyke was well endowed by nature for the work of the ministry. He was of pleasing appearance, a good mixer, affable and pleasant in conversation, magnetic in his movements and personality. After leaving the effective work, he moved to Goshen and engaged in the insurance business for a little while, and in 1894 moved to Kalamazoo, Michigan, and became engaged in soliciting for the Western Seaman's Friend Society, of Cleveland, Ohio. This was a benevolent organization the type of whose work seemed to appeal to him, and he continued in the work the remainder of his active life with considerable enthusiasm.

Brother VanSlyke was married to Miss Elizabeth Josephine Suman, of Anderson, Indiana, in 1874. To this union were born three children—Lulu Nettie, William Ralph, and Bernice Katharine, all of whom are still living. From Kalamazoo he moved to Detroit in 1899. Here eleven years later he met a severe sorrow in the death of his wife, on June 10, 1910. Soon after the death of his companion he moved to Lawton, Michigan, where he remained

until the time of his death, though the last few years he spent on his farm near Lawton. He never forgot his home Conference, and for a number of years previous to his death he sent to the Secretary of the Conference his message of greeting and assurance of continued interest in the work of the church. This was always accompanied by a letter from his pastor assuring us of the continued faithfulness of Brother VanSlyke. He is the only superannuated member of the Conference residing outside the territory from whom the present Secretary every year received a message of greeting for the Conference and a certificate of character from his pastor.

His last illness was of only a few months' duration, which took a severe turn about March 10. The diagnosis of his case was that the disease was cirrhosis of the liver. He died at his home on his farm near Lawton, Michigan, March 30, 1915. His funeral was conducted from his home by Rev. F. M. Cosner, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church, Lawton, on March 31, 1915, and his body was buried in the Woodlawn Cemetery, Detroit, Michigan.



MRS. ZILPHA CRAFTS.

Zilpha Crafts, wife of Rev. George H. Crafts, was born in Crawford County, Ohio, November 16, 1850. She was married to I. C. Beekman, of Plymouth, Ohio, in August, 1875. To this union was born one child, Iva, now Mrs. C. B. Hall, of Evanston, Illinois. Mr. Beekman died three years after their marriage.

In December, 1888, she was married to George H. Crafts, of Plymouth, with whom she went, in the year 1891, to Evanston, Illinois, to assist him through the theological school. This particular part of her life's service was one like that of many other preachers' wives at Evanston and elsewhere, and those of the Methodist ministry who may read these lines and remember sharing the same helpfulness from their wives will understand how inadequate these poor words are to express the true appreciation which such service deserves. She, with her husband, went to the Des Moines Conference in the year 1894, and was stationed at Neola, in the Atlantic District. Thirteen years were spent in this Conference, after which her husband came to the North Indiana Conference and served Swayzee, South Whitley, and Monroe. At the Conference of 1913 her husband took a Supernumerary relation, and with more or less anticipation of portending sorrow because of physical conditions, he brought her to their marriage home, where, after a little more than a year, she bravely and joyously approached the parting of the ways. Full of hope and faith, she, like so many dear and faithful ministers' wives, gave to the immediate members of her household such dying

consolation as was most fitting to encourage us all to approach the end with unshaken trust and faith in Jesus.

She departed on the 19th day of May, 1915, and was buried in the family lot in the cemetery at Plymouth.



MRS. AMANDA M. HARLAN.

Amanda Melvian, daughter of William and Nancy Peden, was born near Hollandsburg, Ohio, on the second day of February, 1849. She was one of a family of six children—three boys and three girls. Two brothers, William and Charles, live near Hollandsburg, Ohio. Mrs. Etta Chenoweth, of Lynn, Indiana, and Mrs. Anna Pitman, of Cartersville, Missouri, are the surviving ones, the brother James having passed away about one year ago. Her educational training was received in the schools near her birthplace.

She was married to Madison A. Harlan, November 27, 1869, by Rev. Davenport, by whom they were baptized and received into the New Light Christian Church. Remaining near their old home for two years, they moved to Union City, where her husband was employed as teacher in the city schools. Here they remained until 1888, when her husband entered the North Indiana Conference, in which they served the following charges: Williamsburg, Middletown; Wheatland Street, Logansport; Portland, Peru, Auburn. From here they moved to Warren, where her husband was financial secretary of the Memorial Home for the Aged for the next five years.

Here, as elsewhere they labored, Sister Harlan endeared herself to the people by her gentle Christian character and faithful service for the Master. Although never rugged in health, she was a tireless worker in all departments of church activity, and especially in the Woman's Home Missionary Society. By virtue of her zeal and enthusiasm, she succeeded in organizing Auxiliaries on every charge except one. She was also a faithful worker in the Sunday school and in the Woman's Christian Temperance Union. For some years past she was District and Conference officer in the Woman's Home Missionary Society.

Upon her husband retiring from the effective work about four years ago, they returned to Union City, where she spent her remaining days. While they were days of retirement from the effective ranks of the work of the church, they were not days of inactivity for our sister. She at once became effective in the Sunday school as teacher and superintendent of the Home Department and of the Sabbath School Missionary Department, continuing in these positions until failing health caused her to decline further responsibilities. She was a faithful attendant upon the prayer and class meetings of the church. Her own prayers and testimonies were assuring evidences of the abundant grace of God in her life and character.

The married life of Brother and Sister Harlan was blessed with the birth of two children—Emma Florence, who died in infancy, and Orla, a son, who still remains in the home.

Last October she suffered from a slight stroke of paralysis, which incapacitated her for further activities in the church. Although during all through these months she was a sufferer, yet not one word of complaint was heard to pass her lips. Her pastor and friends were greeted with a smile, and she gladly joined in the devotional services held in her presence. Hers was a trusting, optimistic temperament, trusting fully in God, always believing in the most blessed outcome of their work and making for herself a large place in the affections and confidence of the people whom they served and among whom they labored.

With such a temperament and such an experience, we would expect her evening of life to be beautiful. In this we are not disappointed. On Saturday morning, June 19, 1915, about three o'clock, she was heard to say "Rest, rest, rest." Soon after she began to realize that the morning of her first day in glory was about to dawn. And to assure her loved ones sitting by her side she said "It is not dark." A moment more, and without a struggle, she was not, for God had taken her and had given his beloved sleep.

The funeral services were conducted from the First Methodist Episcopal Church, Union City, Tuesday, June 22, at 2 P. M., by her pastor, Rev. Leslie J. Naftzger, after which the body was laid away in the nearby cemetery.



MRS. ANNIE LYNCH.

Annie Cash was born in Catskill, New York, December 15, 1846. In 1865, on the first day of June, she was united in marriage to the Rev. C. W. Lynch, who was then pastor of Jarvis, now Butler charge. She became at once his faithful co-laborer and helper in his chosen work. Together they served the following charges: Jarvis another year; in '67, New Haven; '68-'70, Kendallville; '71-'73, Union City; '74-'76, Logansport (Broadway); '77-'79, Marion; '80-'82, Wabash; '83, Muncie; '84-'87, Ft. Wayne Dist.; '88, Warsaw; '89-'94, Warsaw Dist.; '95-'99, Red Key; 1900, Tipton; '01-'03, Warsaw Ct.; '04-'05, Leesburg. In 1906 her husband took a retired relation to the Conference, and together they made their home in Warsaw until the death of her faithful companion in 1908. Since this time she has most of the time resided in their home in the city of Warsaw.

Mrs. Lynch was the mother of five children, but one of whom survived her, this being Mrs. Clara Wilson, of Lynchburg, Virginia. She was domestic in her taste and temperament, and her life was of the quiet and helpful kind without display of any kind. Her hospitable home and kindly welcome made

her many warm friends who still easily recall these beautiful traits in her character. Part of the summer of 1915 was spent at the home of her daughter in Lynchburg, Va., where she was overtaken by her last illness, and passed away August 17, 1915, at the age of 68 years, 8 months, and 2 days.

The funeral services were conducted by her pastor, Rev. A. G. Neal, in Warsaw, on August 19, in the presence of many of her friends, and several ministers of the Conference who assisted in the service. The body was interred in the beautiful Oakwood Cemetery, Warsaw, where so many members of our Conference and their families have been laid to rest. Here by the side of her husband and children her body will await the call to life everlasting in the last day, in the power of Him who said, "I am the resurrection and the life."



REV. F. A. REICHELDERFER.

Life is the precious gift of God to us. He alone can give it, and he also hath power to take it away, or rather to transfer us into the life beyond.

Francis A. Reichelderfer was born December 29, 1873, at Harlan, Indiana. He received his early training in the Harlan Public School, and after graduation gave four years to teaching. He then entered the Recorder's office of Allen County, Indiana, as deputy to his father and served the term of four years in that capacity. His experience and ability kept him two years longer in the employ of Mr. Reichelderfer's successor in office. He was the first president of the Epworth League organized at Harlan, and was instrumental in bringing it to a good standard of efficiency. His first definite stand for Christ was taken at a Thursday night prayer-meeting in 1892. He had long felt that some time a call to preach would come, and this conviction took definite form at the close of his sixth year in the recorder's office.

Although offered a desirable position in a secular business, he chose to honor his call and devote himself to the ministry. He applied for admission to the North Indiana Conference in the spring of 1902, was received on trial and sent to Fremont, where he served the people most acceptably for six years. In 1908 he was sent to Churubusco, where he remained three years. In 1911 he took up the work at Topeka, remaining about two and one-half years. His determination to take a course in theological training caused him to give up his work in mid-year and move to Evanston, Ill., where he entered Garrett Biblical Institute. It was a joy to him to pursue his prescribed studies, and he grew spiritually as sure as he did intellectually. While there he found time to serve a congregation at North Chicago as student-pastor, but failing health compelled him to relinquish his studies and pastorate and return with his family to the old home at Harlan.

In his selection of a life companion he found in Miss Mae Carrington his ideal, with whom he had life-long acquaintance. As children, they were in the same baptismal class. Together they played in the homes of their parents. Together they entered and passed through their school days, and together they have traveled as husband and wife since September, 1894, when they were united in marriage by Rev. Lewis Reeves, pastor of the church of which they were members. Two children came to bless the home—a son, Wylton, now in his Junior year at Northwestern University, and a daughter, Janet, in high school at Harlan.

He was ordained deacon by Bishop McCabe in 1904, and received elder's orders at the hands of Bishop Warren in 1906. The Conference recognizing his business ability, made him an assistant in the statistical department, and finally he became Statistical Secretary, which position he held at the time of his death.

His firm faith in God and in the plan of salvation gave him a steadfast devotion and constancy to his calling that is rarely found. Truly he was in love with his profession. The simplicity of his faith, the naturalness and unaffectedness of it was always an inspiration. His life was so real, so pure, so sincere, and consecrated. His intense desire to preach the precious gospel never lessened during the months of his gradual decline. He hoped against hope that he might again stand as a herald of the cross, and at last, though confined to his bed, he took every opportunity to give the message to his unsaved friends. On his last Sunday on earth he desired those at his bedside to sing some of his favorite songs. His faithful wife bravely led the songs, "Fade, Fade, Each Earthly Joy;" "Nearer, My God, to Thee;" then that inspiring hymn, No. 540, beginning "O, could I speak the matchless worth!" During the singing he whispered, "I wish I might sing, too. I am in spirit." Among other things, he said, "Tell the brethren 'The gospel is sufficient.'"

He suffered greatly during the last few days of life, but his mind was unclouded, calm, and undisturbed. He stood upon the Solid Rock, and the waters of Jordan had no terrors for him.

"Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of his saints" comes as a solace to the hearts of the stricken family, who, with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Reichelderfer, one brother, Elwood, one sister, Lola, and many other relatives remain in sorrow because of his early departure, which occurred October 13, at 2.45 P. M., his age being forty-one years, nine months, and 14 days.

The constant love and respect of the host of friends remain as a living memorial to his inspiring example and unselfish companionship in home and community life. "To live on in the lives of those we love is not to die."

Since the Methodist church was being repaired, the funeral services were conducted from the Lutheran church at Harlan, Saturday, October 16, by the pastor, S. I. Zechiel. The sermon was delivered by Dr. Somerville Light, of the Richmond District. Dr. J. A. Beatty, of the Fort Wayne District, offered prayer at the home and gave a short talk at the church after the sermon. Dr. R. J. Wade, of the Goshen District, offered prayer at the church. The Scripture was read by Dr. J. C. White, of Trinity Church, Elkhart; the obituary by Rev. H. Boase, of Topeka; and the committal at the grave by Rev. Hill, of Trinity Church, Fort Wayne. The Conference Male Quartet furnished the music.

There were twelve of the ministerial brethren present. Many of the friends from the charges which Rev. Reichelderfer had served were present.

The service was most solemn, and the entire community was deeply grieved by the loss of so good a man. Interment was made in the new Cemetery at Harlan.

S. I. ZECHEL.

REV. CHARLES EMERY DAVIS.

Charles Emery, son of William and Abigail Davis, was born in Greentown, Indiana, February 23, 1858. His childhood and youth were passed in his native place, his education being completed by a course at DePauw Uni-

versity. He spent six years in teaching in the public schools of Howard County. On January 18, 1888, he was joined in marriage with Miss Laura Lindley, also of Greentown, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Edward Osborn, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church. To them were born two daughters, Edna and Hazel, who, with their mother, are sadly bereaved by his death. Brother Davis is also survived by two sisters and two brothers, Mrs. Hannah Powell and Miss Kate Davis, and William G. and Milton Davis, all of Greentown. One sister, Mrs. Dr. Scott, of Greentown, and two brothers, Lewis and Rev. Henry A. Davis, of this Conference, preceded him.

Brother Davis was converted in the summer of 1885, during the pastorate of Rev. L. E. Knox, his conviction dating from impressions received at the District Conference held in Greentown the preceding spring. He was licensed



to preach in the fall of 1887. In the spring of 1888 he was admitted on trial in Southwest Kansas Conference, continuing in the work there until the fall of 1894. Returning to Indiana, he supplied Bunker Hill charge from November till the following spring, when he was transferred to the North Indiana Conference and re-appointed to Bunker Hill. He then served Avilla three years and Bourbon two years, retiring in the spring of 1901 on account of ill health. Taking up life insurance, he continued with the same company, the Mutual Life of New York, for more than fourteen years, or until his death. A most conscientious man, he was regarded by the company as one of exceptional value, his name appearing often on their honor roll and once as fifth in the United States in amount of paid-for insurance written. The same diligence thus shown in business marked his ministerial life. He was known as a faithful pastor and strong preacher of the gospel. Good revivals occurred and the interests of the churches were advanced under his labors. He was greatly interested in the temperance reform and felt great satisfaction in seeing the fine progress of this cause in these recent years. His heart also went out toward the far-away mission fields, and it is known that this subject was much on his mind during his last illness. Provision was made by him for the building of a memorial chapel in the Philippines, from which streams of influence will ever flow forth for the Christianizing of the nations of the East. Devoted to the church as he was and to the highest welfare of his fellow men everywhere, his natural affections centered in his home. For wife and daughters his thoughts and prayers were constantly engaged. The education of his daughters and their equipment for greater usefulness thereby was a high gratification to him.

He bore his physical afflictions all these years with great patience, and his last sickness of four months and more was uncomplainingly endured. The visits of his pastor and Christian friends were greatly appreciated. His

testimony to the sufficiency of God's grace was unwavering. His hope in Christ was joyous. His departure in the early morning of October 15, 1915, was to be with his Lord and Saviour forever.

The funeral service on Sunday afternoon, October 17, was from his home in Marion, his pastor, Rev. B. E. Parker, in charge, assisted by C. E. Disbro, L. M. Kridler, David Wells, and J. W. Cain. Burial took place at Greentown, Rev. L. M. Kridler conducting the service.

J. W. CAIN.



REV. CHAUNCEY KING.

The Rev. Chauncey King was born in Piqua, Ohio, March 23, 1849, and departed this life in Fort Wayne, Indiana, November 7, 1915. His parents were Chauncey King, Sr., and Katherine High King. They were Ohio farmers, and strict Baptists, having one son in that ministry. As Chauncey grew to manhood, he made choice of the Methodist, which church he joined when eighteen years old. He was graduated from the Ohio Wesleyan University, June, 1874. Having received a divine call to the ministry, Rev. A. Marine, the pastor of Berry Street, Fort Wayne, induced him to join the North Indiana Conference, which he did in April, 1874, at its session in Fort Wayne, presided over by Bishop Foster.

He was a most loyal and useful member of his Conference, successful in his pastorate and beloved by his brethren in the Conference and his parishioners for nearly forty-two years. He was always deeply interested in the sessions of the Conference and took part freely in the discussions. For many years he held the important office of the registrar.

His appointment record is as follows: 74, Fremont; 75, Hamilton; 76-8, Lima; 79-81, Wolcottville; 82, Pendleton; 83-5, Garrett City; 86-7, Mishawaka; 88-9, Pierceton; 90-3, Hartford City; 94-7, Columbia City; 98, Alexandria; 99-00, Warsaw; 01-4, New Castle; 05-6, Dunkirk; 07-8, Geneva; 09-10, New Haven.

At the 1911 session of the Conference he was placed on the honor roll of retired ministers, where he remained for four years, taking up his residence in Fort Wayne. Even then he was not idle, always seeking to make himself useful in the local church, and during the last year and five months of that period he supplied New Haven charge.

At the Conference session last April he was returned to the effective relationship and appointed to the pastorate at New Haven, which he served with very marked success, preaching his last sermon just a week before his death. He thus had granted him the most cherished desire of his heart—to end his life in the active ministry.

Brother King was a man among men, interested in all manly affairs. He adhered closely to the divine call, seeking to know and to do the divine will. He did his best and was faithful in all things to the end. Surely he has gone to a glorious coronation. We can safely rest his case in the merits of a well spent life.

While in college, Brother King became acquainted with Miss Addie Granger, of Fort Wayne. She was graduated the year before he was, and took a position as teacher in the old Fort Wayne College. During his first pastorate, September 22, 1874, they were married, and walked together in sweet fellowship for forty-one years. To them was born one child, Edith, who was graduated from the same university in 1897, was married at New Castle in the church her father built in 1905, and died March 29, 1913, leaving one child, John Chauncey Blake-Hedges, and now the surviving comfort of his grandmother. May the manliness of this boy be a sure stay in her declining years, while the everlasting arms are beneath and the overshadowing wings are above them both!

The funeral services were in charge of Rev. J. A. Beatty, District Superintendent, and were conducted from the family residence, 618 West Jefferson Street, Fort Wayne, November 10, 1915. At the request of Brother King, the services were of the ritualistic form. The Holy Scriptures were read by Revs. D. H. Guild, G. B. Work, R. J. Wade, and B. O. S. Hollopeter. Prayer was offered by Revs. C. C. Travis and J. B. Cook. Rev. J. K. Walts read the obituary. The funeral services were attended by a number of the ministers of the Conference. The interment was in Lindwood Cemetery, Fort Wayne.

J. K. WALTS.



MRS. LOUISA LEWELLEN.

Mrs. Louisa Lewellen, daughter of Jacob and Mary Davis, was born in Delaware Township, Delaware County, Indiana, September 24, 1854, and died at her home in Muncie, on December 17, 1915, aged sixty-one years, two months, and twenty-three days. The last resting place of her body will be within a half mile of the place of her birth. And the cycle of her earthly journey has been concluded.

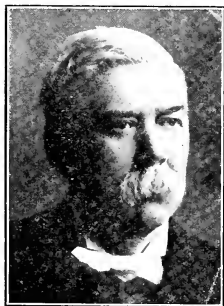
She was married to Josephus A. Lewellen, September 30, 1869, when but a few days past fifteen years of age. She was the mother of ten children. Besides the two boys and two girls who died in childhood, six sons remain to mourn her loss—Nelson Birch, Ner DeWitt, Benson Marine, Franklin Doan, Archie Osburn, and Josephus Asbury, Jr.

Her husband in 1873 became a minister of the North Indiana Conference, and she thus entered the itinerant ministry with her husband. In

early childhood she had given her heart to God and united with the Methodist Episcopal Church, and she proved to be a devoted and useful woman in her twenty-eight years of active service as the wife of a pastor and presiding elder in the North Indiana Conference. Together they labored, and the Lord of the harvest multiplied the seed sown, and the harvest they brought to the kingdom of God was plentiful. After their retirement in 1903, they moved to the farm five miles north of Albany, where they resided until 1909, when they removed to Muncie. Four and a half years ago Rev. J. A. Lewellen departed this life. In her quiet way she went softly before her children and her friends, but they knew all the while there was a longing for that better country which possessed the companion of her years. It was hardly felt that her last sickness was so serious until the last morning of her life. And with no reviving of her strength she quietly slept herself away into everlasting day, and with her to-day in yonder fair city it is good morning.

The funeral services were held at the family residence, 710 North Jefferson Street, Muncie, on Sunday, December 19, 1915, and were conducted by her pastor, Wallace W. Martin, assisted by Rev. E. L. Jones. The interment was made at Mount Pleasant Cemetery, ten miles northeast of Muncie. Here her body was laid to rest beside that of her husband.

W. W. MARTIN.



REV. HENRY W. BENNETT.

In the death of Henry Warland Bennett Methodism has lost one of her giant preachers. In him were combined those qualities that made him a great success in all of his pastorates. He was born with good, vigorous blood in the person of his parents, Judge A. W. Bennett and wife, March 8, 1843, in Winchester, New Hampshire. His father's home was one of culture and refinement, the effects of which were clearly seen in the life of the son all the way through life.

About 1856 the family moved to Davenport, Iowa, where he received his education in the schools of the city and college. After teaching school for a short time he entered upon the study of law in the office of his father. During this time the Civil War broke out and young Bennett, fired with the patriotism of the times, greatly desired to enlist, but on account of age did not do so. When he became of age he enlisted in the 42d Iowa Volunteers, and was elected second lieutenant by the men of the regiment. His services were, in the main, in the Mississippi campaigns, and at the close of the war he again began the study of law in the office of his father, and with him formed his first partnership for the practice of the same.

In 1867 he married Miss Lucy Clark Kellogg, of Grinnell, Iowa, to whom

were born six children—Henry Charles, Sidney Clark, Clara M., Abbie E., Luena Burr, and Juanita. Two years later the young couple moved to Decora, Iowa, where he formed a law partnership with Judge Willis. Here he continued to practice law; but the beautiful Christian life of his wife soon brought pungent conviction to him, so that he was compelled to surrender to her Christ and accept personal salvation. He at once began to deliver addresses in the interest of Christianity, and became deeply interested in Christian work. During the severe illness of his sister Lucy, he promised the Lord that if he would restore her to health, he would devote his life to the work of the ministry. Upon her recovery he kept his word, and was soon placed in charge of Nora Springs, where his labor was blessed with a great revival. About this time he began working for the salvation of his father, who was a strong believer in Universalism. He soon had the great joy of seeing him soundly converted and united with the Methodist Church.

Great sweeping revivals were characteristic of all his pastorates. This was especially true in the following charges: Mason City, Iowa, and Dubuque, Iowa. His field of labors was then changed to Illinois, and he was stationed at First Church, Bloomington, where he completely won the hearts of both the great student body and professors and the members of his great church.

From here he was transferred to Wesley Chapel, Columbus, Ohio, where he had one of the largest Sunday schools in the world at that time. Here he formed an intimate acquaintance with Governor McKinley, who was a member of his church, which friendship continued until broken by the death of the latter. His next charge was the First Church, Akron, Ohio, where the revival spirit was predominant during his pastorate. From here he was transferred to the North Indiana Conference and stationed at Wayne Street, Fort Wayne, where he carried to a successful end a great program of reconstruction of the building in which the Conference holds its present session. His next pastorate, Meridian Street Church, Anderson, witnessed the building of the beautiful structure which is a monument worth the efforts of any man. This was followed by a full term on Goshen District, and this in turn by a pastorate at Mishawaka of one year. He then spent a few years as Conference evangelist and in 1911 retired from the active work, and since then had made his home in Warsaw, acting in the capacity of justice of the peace.

Dr. Bennett was a great preacher because he was a great student and hard worker. He believed that he ought to always make the best possible preparation and that the best was none too good for the kingdom of Christ. The evangelistic spirit always pervaded his sermons, which resulted in great revivals wherever he went. He accomplished much because he was systematic in his plans and work. As a pastor he gave special attention to the sick and aged, advising his well people to come and see him when in need of his service. He was a courageous man and fearless in his preaching, attacking sin wherever found, and especially the sins of intemperance and vice. His ability was recognized by his Conference electing him to head the delegation to the General Conference of 1908.

The closing of his life came suddenly and unexpectedly. Though not in good health for some time past, and becoming more feeble, yet he was not thought to be in a serious condition. After having partaken of the noon-day meal on December 29, he was suddenly stricken with heart trouble, and before physicians could reach him he was gone, passing away quietly at the age of seventy-two years, nine months, and twenty-one days.

The funeral services were in charge of his pastor, Rev. A. G. Neal. The principal address was by Rev. C. U. Wade, who was an intimate friend. Judge F. E. Bowser spoke for the bar, and other messages were delivered by Rev. D. H. Guild and the pastor. Further participants in the funeral services were Revs. E. L. Semans, J. S. Cain, and R. J. Wade. His body was laid away in the Oakwood Cemetery, near the city.



CAROLINE E. BEALL.

Mrs. Caroline E. Beall was born near Rochester, Indiana, July 15, 1845, and died at Cicero, Indiana, February 11, 1916, aged seventy years, six months, and twenty-six days.

When she was but an infant her mother died, leaving her to the care of an uncle, Thomas Redmond, who lived at Columbus, Indiana. Here she in her early childhood united with the Presbyterian Church, and later removing to Walton, she became identified with the English Lutheran Church, under the labors of the Rev. W. H. Farris.

She was united in marriage September 24, 1865, to the Rev. Thomas H. C. Beall, and to them have been born six children—three sons and three daughters—all living: Gamaliel, Laura, Thomas, Jr., Anna, Mabel, and John. She also leaves twelve grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. Possessed of a great mother love, she was greatly devoted to her children and home, and her affectionate ministrations will be sadly missed by the bereaved family.

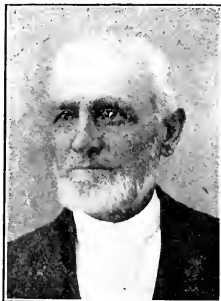
Soon after her marriage in 1865 to the Rev. T. H. C. Beall, she united with the church of her husband, and for twenty-nine years she served the church as the wife of an itinerant Methodist preacher, sharing with him the privations, labors, conflicts, and trials known only to the Methodist preacher and his wife. Well might she have said with Paul, "I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith; henceforth there is laid up for me a crown of righteousness which the Lord the righteous Judge shall give me at that day."

She died in great peace, surrounded by husband and children, at eleven o'clock, February 11, and her last words spoken were "Dear Jesus," as her spirit was going to meet her Lord. What a happy thought that the name of the Redeemer should be the last word spoken on earth and the first one in heaven.

For several years she had been in poor health and had been a great sufferer, but has now gone where there is no more pain nor suffering, for the former things have passed away.

The funeral services were held in the Cicero Methodist Church on February 14, and conducted by the pastor, the Rev. Avery Brugh, assisted by the following pastors: Rev. W. B. Freeland, of Kokomo; Rev. W. M. Amos, of Atlanta; Rev. M. L. Hardingham, of Arcadia; Rev. W. H. Jenkin, of Cicero, and Rev. F. A. Hall, of Noblesville. The burial was in the beautiful Crown Hill Cemetery, of Indianapolis.

AVERY BRUGH.



REV. WILLIAM LASH.

"And he shall be like a tree planted by the rivers of water, that bringeth forth his fruit in his season."

This tree, rugged though not tall, large in girth and trunk, wide-spreading in its branches and luxuriant in foliage in the years when the fruit was gathered, was swayed by many a storm and stood the tests well until in these last years the leaves withered and the branches were broken off, while the sturdy old trunk shook like an aspen leaf, until late in the evening of February 11, 1916, it fell.

But, "There is hope of a tree, if it be cut down, that it will sprout again, and that the tender branch thereof will not cease. Though the root thereof wax old in the earth, and the stock thereof die in the ground; yet through the scent of water it will bud, and bring forth branches like a plant."

A long pilgrimage has ended. Nay, he has ascended above the heavens. A good soldier, who endured hardness, who fought a good fight, who kept the faith, has received the crown of righteousness his glorious Lord had prepared for him.

His work was well done. A conscientious, painstaking, faithful man of God, who maintained strict integrity in his calling. His mind did not move on lofty, logical, or rhetorical periods, but in that stronger common sense which both kills and cures and is deep as the soul itself. He mastered himself, and therefore conquered others. He seemed incapable of a mean thought or a base design, but in his great sympathies gathered the world in his arms to lift it back to the feet of the Redeemer. One motive seemed to inspire every act and attitude, thought and desire—that of saving men and honoring God. He was unselfish and meek; upright, noble, constant, and affectionate; at once loving and lovable—a man of faith, a child of God.

The death of Brother Lash had been expected since Sabbath morning, January 30, when he was found in an unconscious condition in his chair. And yet he had been in failing health for some years, and his decline had been steady since the death of Sister Lash on July 13, 1914. The loss of his companion and helpmate of fifty-nine years was observed to have a decidedly depressing effect upon him, and his longing to be with her, the love of his life, found fruition when, on that peaceful Lord's Day, "God's finger touched him and he slept."

Prominent in his life was a gentleness of spirit and an unceasing devotion for the wife and the children. And this affection was complemented in full measure by the untiring devotion of the son and daughter, who have found joy in leaving nothing undone for the father's comfort in his declining years. Mrs. Erwin, the daughter, left her own home in Kirley, South Dakota, to care for her parents, and has spent the greater part of the past six years

in unrelenting devotion, together with the son, George E. Lash, who was no less self-sacrificing and faithful.

Brother Lash was the son of John and Catherine Lash, born in Wayne County, Ohio, June 21, 1834. When he was three years old he was taken by his parents to a farm six miles west of Warsaw, Indiana, where he grew to manhood and married Miss Mary Baker, November 25, 1855.

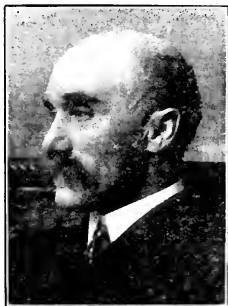
The Bourbon charge recommended him to the District Conference for license to preach, and he became a member of the North Indiana Annual Conference in 1866, and was assigned to New Corydon (now Geneva), and successively served at Deerfield, Antioch, Springfield, Inwood, Allen, Harlan, Coesse, Roanoke, Milford, Osceola, and Elkhart Circuit, from which appointment he was given a superannuated relation in 1885.

Brother Lash is survived by a brother, S. P. Lash, of York, Nebraska, who is eighty-four years old; three grandchildren, Mrs. Ira W. Martin, of Elkhart, Indiana; W. Floyd Erwin, of Kirley, South Dakota, and Miss Geraldine Lash, of Toledo, Ohio, and also three great-grandchildren.

"Calm on the bosom of thy God,
Fair spirit, rest thee now;
E'en while with us thy footsteps trod,
His seal was on thy brow."
Dust, to the narrow home beneath!
Soul, to its place on high!
They that have seen thy look in death
No more may fear to die.
Lone are the paths and sad the bowers,
Whence thy smile is gone;
But ah, a brighter home than ours
In heaven is now thine own."

The funeral services were held in the home of the son, Monday afternoon, February 14, at 2.30 o'clock, conducted by the pastor, Dr. John C. White, assisted by Dr. R. J. Wade, R. L. Semans, R. F. Morrison, and W. E. Loveless. A brief memorial service was conducted by Revs. A. G. Neal, A. J. Cary, R. J. Wade, and John C. White, and the interment made in the beautiful Oakwood Cemetery at Warsaw, Indiana.

J. C. WHITE.



REV. H. J. NORRIS.

Rev. H. J. Norris was born at Smithville, Wayne County, Ohio, February 22, 1846, and died at his home in Winchester, Indiana, February 14, 1916. Had he lived eight days longer he would have completed seventy years.

Born of upright and pious parents, who both loved God and loved their

country, Brother Norris came to his youth and early manhood during the stirring days of the Civil War: Three brothers had already joined the colors, and he very much longed to share their struggles and serve in the defense of his country. To this cause he heartily offered himself, but frail health rendered it unwise for the military authorities to admit him to the rank of soldier. Undaunted by this rejection, he gave himself for a term to the service of the Pioneer Corps, a service in which he was not required to be sworn as a soldier, and in which he assisted in such work as building roads, bridges, and fortifications. Failing health soon compelled his retirement from this service.

Returning to his native State, he entered Normal School at Wooster, Ohio, where he achieved distinction in the field of public debate.

Brother Norris was born into the spiritual kingdom in Wooster, February 16, 1867. This was under the ministry of Rev. J. H. McConnell, father of the now Bishop F. J. McConnell, of the Methodist Church. He soon after united with the church at Canal Fulton, and the following summer he was licensed to preach. For some years he was a teacher, and continued to teach and to preach until, closing his work in the schools of Dunkirk, Ind., he entered the North Indiana Conference in 1873, and gave himself for thirty-nine years to the ministry of the Word. In this time he served many of the leading churches of this Conference, as the following record shows: Marion Circuit; Inwood; Ft. Wayne, Centenary; Auburn; Goshen; Hartford City; Noblesville; Logansport, Broadway; Newcastle; Ft. Wayne, Berry Street; Winchester; LaGrange; and Upland.

Upon his retirement from the active ministry, he took up his residence in Winchester, where for five years he had served as pastor. But he was not inactive, but frequently as strength permitted preached in this and neighboring churches and was always a welcome speaker. As a preacher, Brother Norris had the power to put the gospel in a way to both instruct and entertain. He was a good student, and frequently illustrated his theme from historic incident from the by-gone ages. Only last Christmas Day he said, "I am rereading Lord's Beacon Lights of History." He attended the meetings of the local church as strength permitted, and was a blessing to our people. He was married to Hattie Snyder, January 24, 1878.

Of his own immediate kinsmen, Brother Norris leaves a wife and two children. A daughter, Mrs. Edna Foust, and a son, Dean Norris, of St. Petersburg, Florida; two brothers, J. J. Norris, of Union City, and S. J. Norris, of Smithville, Ohio, and one sister, Mrs. Sue Zellner, of Bucyrus, Ohio.

Brother Norris was a member of the Knights of Pythias and of the Free and Accepted Masons. He was a member of the Chapter and Council, and prior to coming to Winchester he served as Prelate at Newcastle Commandery, and later when the Commandery was organized here, he was the first Prelate and served for some years.

The illness of Brother Norris covered a period of about eighteen months. Early in the present winter he said to the pastor, "If I get through this winter, I shall think I am doing well." Later he recognized that the end could not be far away, and frequently expressed his faith and comfort in the Saviour.

"Thy saints in all this glorious war
Shall conquer, though they die;
They see the triumph from afar,
By faith they bring it nigh."

The funeral was held at the First Methodist Episcopal Church in Winchester, Indiana, on Tuesday, February 15, 1916, in charge of the pastor, Rev. Frank P. Morris. At the request of the deceased, Rev. W. D. Parr, D.D., spoke most helpfully from Philippians 3. 14. The following pastors assisted in the service: G. B. Work, Leslie J. Naftzger, A. S. Preston, and W. H. Pierce, after which the body was taken to Dalton, Ohio, for interment. A number of other ministers and a large company of friends witnessed their appreciation by their presence on this occasion.

FRANK P. MORRIS.

MRS. HANNAH M. MARTINDALE.*

Hannah Matilda Martindale was the daughter of Rev. and Mrs. H. N. Barnes, who for so many years were associated with North Indiana Conference. She was born at Rennselaer, Jasper County, Indiana, July 11, 1842. She was married to Rev. Charles Martindale at Indianapolis, July 11, 1861, by Bishop E. R. Ames. She was the faithful companion of her husband in all his eventful ministry until it closed by death, at Topeka, Kansas, 1888. During her long widowhood she has continued her usefulness in the church. Never did any human being live a more utterly unselfish life. She truly lived for others, not for herself. If all the steps she took in rooms and halls, on stairways, and in footpaths in ministering to others were drawn out in a single line, that line would belt the globe. The goodness of her father and mother was strangely embedded in her. To this was also added much of the goodness that was in her Saviour. "She hath done what she could." For many years she has resided in Southern California, where she has been a familiar figure in many of our churches. The writer was her pastor both in Pasadena and Pomona. At the time of her death, March 17, 1916, she was affiliating with First Church, in Long Beach, California. She was in usual health on the day of her death, but in attempting to cross a street at a dangerous point she was struck by an automobile, and, though not mangled, she only survived the shock about one hour. Funeral services were held at Pasadena, conducted by the writer, and her body was laid to rest by the side of her parents in Mountain View Cemetery. She leaves a brother, Judge Erastus Barnes, of Pomona, California; Mrs. Rev. W. J. Vigus, of Wabash, Indiana, a sister, and Mrs. Judge H. W. Magee, of Pasadena, another sister, with many other more distant relatives to mourn her departure.—A. W. LAMPORT, Pastor Vincent Methodist Episcopal Church, Los Angeles, California.

*Picture of deceased could not be obtained in time for Year Book.—Secretary.

In Memoriam

Deceased Members of North Indiana Conference.

"They rest from their labors, and their works do follow them"

Ent. Trav. Ministry	CHERISHED NAMES	TIME OF DEATH	Age	Years In Trav. Min.	PLACE OF BURIAL
1832	Zechariah Games.....	Dec. 11, 1844	47	10	
1814	Burrows Westlake	April 17, 1845	53	31	Logansport.
1841	Elijah S. Blue.....	Dec. 19, 1845	36	4	Leesburg.
1833	Philip May	Sept. 4, 1846	40	13	Peru.
1845	Isaac King	Oct. 21, 1847	27	2	
1844	Jeremiah Early	Nov. 5, 1847	27	3	Covington.
1832	Amasa Johnson	Dec. 8, 1850	46	18	Fort Wayne.
1828	Miles Huffaker	July 27, 1852	46	23	
1836	Francis Richmond	Jan. 20, 1853	50	17	Pendleton.
1851	Charles Ketcham	Oct. 16, 1854	40	3	Xenia, Ohio.
1852	Wm. S. Robinson	July 11, 1855	35	3	
1827	Samuel C. Cooper	July 19, 1856	57	29	Greencastle.
1830	Samuel Brenton	Mar. 29, 1856	46	19	Fort Wayne.
1851	Wm. H. Metts	Jan. 20, 1857	29	6	Murray.
1854	James A. Stallard	Oct. 16, 1856	42	2	Jonesboro.
1855	Almon Clark	Oct. 16, 1857	29	2	Black Rock.
1849	James J. Elrod	Mar. 12, 1858	34	9	New Maysville.
1857	*Jos. R. Downey	Sept. 16, 1859	22	2	Lucknow, India.
1859	Sanford - L. Sanford	Dec. 23, 1861	30	2	Rootstown, Ohio.
1853	Wm. R. Edmondson	Nov. 17, 1864	34	11	Kokomo.
1861	Sylvanus Hover	July 13, 1864	30	3	Troy, Ohio.
1843	Orvil P. Boyden	Aug. 22, 1865	46	23	Winchester.
1851	Thomas Colclazer	Sept. 26, 1865	55	14	Union City.
1852	William Palmer	Mar. 3, 1868	55	16	Claypool, Mt. Pleasant Cem.
1861	Charles W. Timmons	Jan. 14, 1869	42	8	Bourbon.
1824	Augustus Eddy	Feb. 9, 1870	71	46	Indianapolis, Crown Hill.
1834	James Black	Sept. 7, 1870	65	37	Logansport.
1837	John B. Birt	April 24, 1870	64	33	Muncie.
1854	Asbury Andrew	July 19, 1870	45	16	Cicero.
1840	Charles, W. Miller	April 8, 1872	65	31	Richmond.
1854	Thomas Comstock	June 17, 1872	43	14	Liberty Mills.
1852	Campbell Brock	Mar. 10, 1873	46	20	Zionsville.
1836	Hawley B. Beers	May 7, 1873	63	37	Huntington, L. I., N. Y.
1870	James W. Brown	Mar. 2, 1874	24	4	Greenfield.
1866	George S. Jenkins	Oct. 27, 1874	43	8	Cerro Gordo (near).
1866	William Comstock	Dec. 11, 1875	43	9	Liberty Mills.
1866	Benjamin P. Baker	Oct. 18, 1875	40	9	Montpelier.
1872	Henry C. Jordan	Aug. 12, 1876	26	4	Economy.
1843	Samuel Lamb	Nov. 8, 1876	68	33	Richmond.
1845	John R. Davis	May 17, 1877	65	32	Somerset.
1826	Robert Burns	Oct. 2, 1877	83	51	Akron, Nichols Cemetery.
1871	John M. Brown	Jon. 20, 1878	43	7	Orland.
1869	Thomas M. Bell	Sept. 2, 1878	46	9	Five Corners, Miami Co.
1836	Greenbury C. Beeks	Oct. 23, 1878	70	32	Orange Co., Fla.
1850	Francis A. Sale	Feb. 12, 1879	62	29	Marion.
1859	John F. Pierce	May 18, 1879	44	20	Deerfield.
1836	William H. Goode	Dec. 16, 1879	72	43	Richmond.
1847	Emanuel Hall	Mar. 29, 1880	56	33	Mishawaka.
1841	John W. Bradshaw	May 17, 1880	71	39	Warsaw.
1845	Valentine M. Beamer	June 27, 1880	58	33	Kokomo.
1855	David P. Hartman	Aug. 13, 1880	64	25	Fort Wayne.
1846	Silas L. Stout	Dec. 23, 1880	58	34	Hartford City.
1856	John M. Mann	Oct. 30, 1881	50	25	Kendallville.
1847	Samuel Neal Campbell	Sept. 28, 1882	66	35	Noblesville.
1850	Eli Rammel	Oct. 26, 1882	66	32	Coffeeville, Kan.
1854	James H. Hutchison	Jan. 14, 1883	72	28	Elkhart.
1845	Ezra Maynard	Nov. 8, 1883	67	38	Dunkirk.
1849	John H. Payton	Dec. 14, 1883	67	34	Rantoul, Ill.
1853	Charles P. Wright	April 20, 1884	58	31	Logansport.
1857	John C. Mahin	Feb. 6, 1885	52	28	Battle Ground.
1836	Jacob Colclazer	Dec. 24, 1885	73	40	Goshen.
1854	Abia M. Kerwood	Mar. 25, 1886	74	32	Muncie.
1855	Humphrey J. Meek	Nov. 20, 1887	66	33	Kokomo.

*Missionary to India.

†No Memoirs

Ent. Trav. Ministry	CHERISHED NAMES	TIME OF DEATH	Age	Years In Trav. Min.	PLACE OF BURIAL
1884	Eli R. Small	Feb. 26, 1888	35	4	Mechanicsburg.
1856	Charles Martindale	May 16, 1888	51	32	Topeka, Kan.
1838	Josiah J. Cooper	June 17, 1888	79	50	Noblesville.
1864	James Greer	Dec. 8, 1888	52	25	Fort Wayne.
1888	Henry L. Watson	Jan. 2, 1889	40	1	Matthews.
1845	Reuben D. Robinson	Aug. 18, 1889	71	45	Indianapolis.
1841	Orange V. Lemon	Sept. 30, 1889	76	49	Richmond.
1864	Alpheus J. Lewellen	Nov. 14, 1889	65	26	Mt. Pleasant, near Parker
1871	Richard B. Powell	Mar. 8, 1890	43	19	Middletown.
1860	Yancy D. Meredith	Mar. 22, 1891	58	31	Anderson.
1868	William R. Jordan	May 7, 1891	47	23	Indianapolis.
1845	John W. Smith	June 3, 1891	71	46	Albion.
1882	Alfred S. Rogers	Aug. 22, 1891	42	9	Pendleton.
1838	George Havens	Mar. 8, 1892	75	54	Indianapolis.
1861	Milton S. Metts	Mar. 8, 1892	57	31	Muncie.
1873	Hortensius M. Lamport	Mar. 25, 1892	43	19	Mishawaka.
1813	Lonson W. Monson	April 9, 1892	77	50	Wabash.
1884	Samuel L. Johnson	July 24, 1892	34	9	Alexandria.
1841	Jehu C. Medsker	Aug. 9, 1892	82	51	Kansas City.
1838	William Wilson	Sept. 18, 1892	80	54	Los Angeles, Cal.
1857	Randolph J. Smith	Jan. 13, 1893	69	24	Perrysburg.
1865	Samuel J. McElwee	Aug. 10, 1893	48	28	Kokomo.
1837	George W. Bowers	Mar. 1, 1894	82	57	Dunkirk.
1839	Enoch Holdstock	April 13, 1894	77	55	Muncie.
1838	Daniel F. Stright	April 22, 1894	84	56	Knights town.
1877	William S. Boston	July 25, 1894	44	17	Pendleton.
1851	Benjamin Smith	Sept. 7, 1894	75	43	Muncie.
1888	Jos. A. R. Gahring	Sept. 29, 1894	34	6	Kokomo.
1849	William S. Birch	Mar. 29, 1895	70	46	Kokomo.
1861	Thomas Sells	April 3, 1895	62	30	Muncie.
1842	William Anderson	April 29, 1895	75	53	Greenfield.
1850	Lewis Roberts	May 20, 1895	85	45	Peru.
1844	John Harrison	Jan. 6, 1896	88	52	Richmond.
1848	Horatio N. Barnes	Feb. 15, 1896	90	55	Pasadena, Cal.
1870	Asbury C. Gerard	Feb. 19, 1896	55	28	Mt. Gilead, Ohio.
1856	Milton Wayman	Mar. 10, 1896	82	40	Ridgeville.
1855	Enos P. Church	Oct. 23, 1896	72	41	North Manchester.
1871	John S. McElwee	Aug. 2, 1896	52	25	Kokomo.
1865	Adam H. Currie	Nov. 3, 1896	60	31	Windfall.
1873	John E. Earp	May 10, 1897	51	24	Greencastle.
1863	James Johnston	July 30, 1897	75	44	Leesburg.
1853	John Maffit	Dec. 11, 1898	85	46	Bristol.
1853	Alfred G. McCarter	Jan. 8, 1899	71	46	Warsaw.
1859	Martin A. Teague	Jan. 22, 1899	65	40	Pendleton.
1847	Richard A. Newton	Feb. 14, 1899	77	52	Windfall.
1872	Milo H. Mott	April 23, 1899	61	27	New Paris.
1891	Edwin T. Gregg	May 30, 1899	38	8	Peru.
1857	Reuben Tobey	July 12, 1899	69	42	Richmond.
1874	Charles Harvey	Jan. 19, 1900	58	26	Muncie.
1853	Nathan D. Shackelford	April 7, 1900	66	47	Warsaw.
1887	Henry A. Davis	April 20, 1900	45	13	Greentown.
1871	John W. Lewellen	June 21, 1900	55	29	Olive Branch, Matthews.
1851	Nelson Gillam	Jan. 5, 1902	87	51	Muncie.
1833	Ner H. Phillips	Feb. 17, 1902	72	49	Goshen.
1859	John W. Lowry	July 10, 1902	77	43	Rogers, Ark.
1869	Augustus E. Mahin	July 10, 1902	58	33	Fort Wayne.
1865	Benjamin A. Kemp	Dec. 15, 1902	62	37	Winchester.
1856	Clark Skinner	June 1, 1903	77	47	South Bend.
1872	Robert F. Brewington	Oct. 6, 1903	71	31	Moore's Hill.
1857	William B. Randolph	Feb. 10, 1904	45	16	Huntington.
1882	Jasper I. McCoy	Nov. 11, 1904	54	22	Peru.
1896	Walter E. Curtis	Jan. 2, 1905	73	39	Richmond.
1903	Orpheus S. Hart	June 15, 1905	31	2	Sparta.
1833	Henry J. Lacey	Aug. 15, 1905	81	52	Hopewell, Wayne Co.
1856	Marmaduke H. Mendenhall	Oct. 9, 1905	69	50	Elkhart.
1833	Richard D. Spellman	Oct. 20, 1905	92	52	Fort Wayne.
1869	Albert Cone	Oct. 25, 1905	73	36	Greenfield.
1864	Isaac Cooper	Jan. 6, 1906	80	39	Goshen.
1847	Elam S. Preston	Feb. 27, 1906	85	59	Tower City, N. D.

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1867	David D. Powell.....	May 7, 1906	63	39	Anderson.
1849	Jacob C. White.....	July 31, 1906	85	57	Matthews.
1860	William O. Pierce.....	Aug. 28, 1906	70	46	Mt. Pleasant Cem., Ham. Co.
1855	Hosea Woolpert.....	April 5, 1907	81	52	Green Springs, Ohio.
1856	John H. McMahon.....	Aug. 1, 1907	78	51	Dublin.
1872	William H. Daniel.....	Feb. 5, 1908	60	36	Decatur, Maplewood.
1858	Cyrus W. Lynch.....	April 23, 1908	76	50	Warsaw, Oakwood.
1884	Ernest E. Neal.....	July 13, 1908	54	24	Noblesville.
1859	John P. Nash.....	Oct. 10, 1908	88	49	Waterford Mills.
1852	Thomas Stabler.....	Oct. 25, 1908	86	56	Indianapolis, Crown Hill.
1877	James D. Belt.....	Jan. 13, 1909	61	31	Leesburg.
1862	Jeremiah L. Ramsey.....	Mar. 20, 1909	76	46	Santa Fe.
1904	William C. Butts.....	April 24, 1909	36	5	Greenmount, Baltimore, Md.
1878	Jacomiah H. Jackson.....	Oct. 2, 1909	58	31	Crownpoint, Kokomo.
1880	Joseph H. Slack.....	Nov. 26, 1909	59	29	Crownpoint, Kokomo.
1860	William J. Vigus.....	Feb. 6, 1910	73	50	Falls Cem., Wabash.
1883	John B. Alleman.....	Mar. 14, 1910	72	27	Warsaw.
1894	William P. Herron.....	April 21, 1910	46	16	Osceola.
1890	Carl A. Luse.....	April 23, 1910	53	20	Amboy.
1859	Franklin T. Simpson.....	June 17, 1910	76	51	Grace Lawn Cem., Elkhart.
1854	John S. McCarty.....	July 12, 1910	83	56	Pendleton.
1876	Peter S. Cook.....	Aug. 30, 1910	64	34	Cook's Cem., near Warsaw.
1858	Erwin M. Baker.....	Dec. 26, 1910	83	52	Oakwood, Warsaw.
1862	Francis A. Fish.....	Dec. 29, 1910	73	48	Sharpsville.
1885	Alfred L. Forkner.....	Mar. 29, 1911	56	26	Anderson.
1864	Nathan T. Peddycord.....	April 13, 1911	75	47	Waller, Texas.
1873	Josephus A. Lewellen.....	May 18, 1911	63	38	Mt. Pleasant, Parker.
1900	Howard D. Wright.....	May 21, 1911	39	10	Greencastle.
1863	Charles G. Hudson.....	Oct. 29, 1911	69	48	Anderson.
1872	Chester W. Church.....	Mar. 8, 1912	62	40	North Manchester.
1868	Louis A. Retts.....	May 3, 1912	66	44	San Diego, Cal.
1871	Watson C. McKaig.....	Aug. 5, 1912	73	42	Los Angeles, Cal.
1897	John T. Hammond.....	Aug. 22, 1912	47	16	Hamilton, Ind.
1871	Moffatt H. Smith.....	Mar. 3, 1913	63	42	Piercetown, Ind.
1868	Orange S. Harrison.....	April 27, 1913	65	45	Cambridge City.
1901	Lewis D. Rehl.....	July 2, 1913	39	12	Napoleon, Ohio.
1879	Hanson C. Smith.....	July 27, 1913	64	37	Santa Fe.
1909	Ervin B. Brown.....	Sept. 1, 1913	30	4	Twin Hill, near Pennville.
1911	Walter A. Fouts.....	Feb. 7, 1914	27	3	Chili.
1850	Almon Greenman.....	Feb. 28, 1914	88	64	Marion.
1856	John W. Miller.....	April 28, 1914	82	58	Arcadia.
1890	Stephen J. Mellinger.....	June 30, 1914	69	24	Bethel, near Piqua, O.
1868	Jesse B. Young.....	July 30, 1914	70	46	Pine Grove, Berwick, Pa.
1876	William R. Wones.....	Dec. 12, 1914	69	38	Newson Chapel, near St. Paris, O.
1859	John B. Ford.....	Jan. 18, 1915	79	55	Topeka, Kas. (Oakland Cem.)
1868	Horace N. Herrick.....	Feb. 15, 1915	68	46	Winchester.
1884	Henry Bridge.....	Feb. 16, 1915	74	30	I. O. O. F., Huntington.
1914	Leslie A. Hall.....	Feb. 18, 1915	27	1	Richland Center.
1872	William M. Van Slyke.....	Mar. 30, 1915	67	42	Woodlawn, Detroit, Mich.
1902	Francis A. Reichelderfer.....	Oct. 13, 1915	41	13	Harlan.
1888	Charles E. Davis.....	Oct. 15, 1915	58	27	Greentown.
1874	Chauncey King.....	Nov. 7, 1915	66	41	Ft. Wayne, Linwood.
1873	Henry W. Bennett.....	Dec. 29, 1915	72	42	Warsaw, Oakwood.
1866	William Lash.....	Feb. 11, 1916	81	49	Warsaw, Oakwood.
1873	Hugh J. Norris.....	Feb. 14, 1916	69	42	Dalton, Ohio.

SESSIONS OF THE NORTH INDIANA CONFERENCE

No.	Date of Session	Place.	Bishop.	Secretary.
1	Oct. 16-21 1844	Ft. Wayne.....	Waugh	M. Simpson
2	Sept. 24-29..... 1845	Lafayette.....	Hamline.....	S. T. Gillett
3	Sept. 16-22..... 1846	La Porte	Morris	S. T. Gillett
4	Sept. 15-22..... 1847	Indianapolis	James	S. T. Gillett
5	Sept. 6-11..... 1848	Greencastle.....	Hamline.....	S. T. Gillett
6	Aug. 29-Sept. 4 .. 1849	Logansport.....	Waugh	J. C. Smith
7	Aug. 21-26..... 1850	Cambridge City	James	J. C. Smith
8	Aug. 20-27..... 1851	South Bend	Morris	S. T. Gillett
9	Sept. 22-28..... 1852	Berry St., Ft. Wayne ..	Baker	S. T. Gillett
10	Sept. 21-24..... 1853	Richmond	Ames	C. Nutt
11	Sept. 20-23..... 1854	Peru	Simpson	C. Nutt
12	Sept. 14-19..... 1855	Goshen	Scott	C. Nutt
13	Sept. 24-29..... 1856	Muncie	Baker	H. N. Barnes
14	Apr. 8-11..... 1857	Marion	Simpson	H. N. Barnes
15	Apr. 7-14..... 1858	Winchester	Ames	J. C. Medsker
16	Apr. 7-11..... 1859	Logansport.....	Morris	H. N. Barnes
17	Apr. 5-9..... 1860	Mishawaka	Ames	A. Greenman
18	Apr. 3-8..... 1861	New Castle	James	H. N. Barnes
19	Apr. 10-15..... 1862	Berry St., Ft. Wayne ..	Simpson	M. Mahin
20	Apr. 9-13..... 1863	Wabash.....	Morris	M. Mahin
21	Apr. 6-11..... 1864	Knightstown	Morris	M. Mahin
22	Apr. 12-17..... 1865	Kendallville	Scott	M. Mahin
23	Apr. 5-9..... 1866	Peru	Clark	M. Mahin
24	Apr. 10-15..... 1867	Anderson	Ames	M. Mahin
25	Apr. 15-20..... 1868	Warsaw.....	Thompson	M. Mahin
26	Apr. 15-19..... 1869	Pearl St., Richmond...	Simpson	M. Mahin
27	Apr. 13-18..... 1870	Kokomo.....	Clark	M. H. Mendenhall
28	Apr. 12-17..... 1871	Huntington	Ames	M. H. Mendenhall
29	Mar. 27-Apr. 1..... 1872	Muncie	Scott	M. H. Mendenhall
30	Apr. 16-22..... 1873	Logansport.....	Merrill	M. H. Mendenhall
31	Apr. 1-6..... 1874	Wayne St., Ft. Wayne ..	Foster	M. H. Mendenhall
32	Apr. 14-20..... 1875	Elkhart.....	Bowman	M. H. Mendenhall
33	Mar. 22-27..... 1876	Grace Church, Richm'd	Harris	M. H. Mendenhall
34	Apr. 4-9..... 1877	Bluffton	Wiley	E. F. Hasty
35	Apr. 3-8..... 1878	Anderson	Peck	E. F. Hasty
36	Apr. 9-14..... 1879	Goshen	Scott	C. G. Hudson
37	Apr. 7-12..... 1880	Union City	Foster	C. G. Hudson
38	Apr. 7-11..... 1881	Wabash.....	Simpson	C. G. Hudson
39	Apr. 5-11..... 1882	Muncie	Wiley	C. G. Hudson
40	Apr. 12-17..... 1883	Noblesville	Bowman	C. G. Hudson
41	Apr. 2-7..... 1884	Peru	Foss	C. G. Hudson
42	Apr. 9-14..... 1885	New Castle	Walden	C. G. Hudson
43	Apr. 8-13..... 1886	Warsaw.....	Harris	C. G. Hudson
44	Apr. 7-12..... 1887	Marion	Hurst	C. G. Hudson
45	Mar. 28-Apr. 2..... 1888	Wabash.....	Merrill	C. G. Hudson
46	Apr. 3-8..... 1889	LaGrange	Andrews	C. G. Hudson
47	Apr. 2-7..... 1890	Muncie	Ninde	C. G. Hudson
48	Apr. 1-6..... 1891	Huntington	Joyce.....	C. G. Hudson
49	Mar. 30-Apr. 4..... 1892	Anderson	Fitz Gerald	C. G. Hudson
50	Mar. 28-Apr. 3..... 1893	Mishawaka	Joyce.....	C. G. Hudson
51	Apr. 4-9..... 1894	Bluffton	Goodsell	C. G. Hudson
52	Mar. 27-Apr. 1..... 1895	Logansport.....	Warren	L. J. Naftzger
53	Mar. 25-31..... 1896	First Church, Richm'd	Bowman	L. J. Naftzger
54	Mar. 24-30..... 1897	Grace Church, Kokomo	Merrill	L. J. Naftzger
55	Mar. 23-28..... 1898	Hartford City	Fowler	L. J. Naftzger
56	Apr. 5-10..... 1899	Decatur.....	Andrews	L. J. Naftzger
57	Apr. 4-9..... 1900	Elkhart.....	Foss	L. J. Naftzger
58	Apr. 10-15..... 1901	Elwood.....	Merrill	L. J. Naftzger
59	Apr. 10-15..... 1902	Marion, First Church ..	Joyce.....	L. J. Naftzger
60	Apr. 8-13..... 1903	Noblesville	Walden	L. J. Naftzger
61	Apr. 6-11..... 1904	Muncie High Church...	McCabe	L. J. Naftzger
62	Apr. 5-11..... 1905	Portland.....	Spellmeyer	D. V. Williams
63	Apr. 4-9..... 1906	Alexandria	Warren	D. V. Williams
64	Apr. 10-15..... 1907	Logansport, Market St.	McDowell	D. V. Williams
65	Apr. 1-6..... 1908	Anderson, First Church.	Berry	D. V. Williams
66	Mar. 31-Apr. 5..... 1909	Greenfield.....	Anderson	D. V. Williams
67	Apr. 6-11..... 1910	Bluffton	Cranston	D. V. Williams
68	Apr. 5-11..... 1911	Kokomo, Main St.....	Hughes	D. V. Williams
69	Mar. 27-Apr. 1..... 1912	Wabash, First Church...	Moore.....	D. V. Williams
70	Apr. 2-7..... 1913	Tipton, Kemp Mem'l.....	McDowell	D. V. Williams
71	Apr. 1-6..... 1914	Mishawaka, Mem'l Ch.	McDowell	D. V. Williams
72	Apr. 7-12..... 1915	Auburn.....	McDowell	D. V. Williams
73	Mar. 29-Apr. 3..... 1916	Ft. Wayne, Wayne St.	McDowell	D. V. Williams

GENERAL CONFERENCE DELEGATES.

- 1848—**PITTSBURG.** Richard Hargrave, Samuel C. Cooper, William H. Goode, Samuel Brenton John C. Smith.
RESERVES—George M. Beswick, Thomas J. Brown.
- 1852—**BOSTON.** George M. Beswick, William H. Goode, John L. Smith, Samuel T. Gillett Joseph Marsee, John Daniel.
RESERVES—Jacob M. Stallard, Samuel C. Cooper.
- 1856—**INDIANAPOLIS.** Samuel C. Cooper, Orange V. Lemon, George W. Bowers, Horatio N Barnes.
RESERVES—John H. Hull, Jacob Colclazer.
- 1860—**BUFFALO.** Cyrus Nutt, John B. Birt, Jacob Colclazer, Lonson W. Monson.
RESERVES—Augustus Eddy, John W. Bradshaw.
- 1864—**PHILADELPHIA.** Reuben D. Robinson, William H. Goode, Orange V. Lemon, John V. R. Miller.
RESERVES—Milton Mahin, Samuel N. Campbell.
- 1868—**CHICAGO.** Thomas Bowman, Milton Mahin, William H. Goode, Jehu C. Medsker.
RESERVES—Lonson W. Monson, Orange V. Lemon.
- 1872—**BROOKLYN.** William H. Goode, Thomas Bowman, William S. Birch, Ner H. Phillips Orange V. Lemon.
RESERVES—Marmaduke H. Mendenhall, Lonson W. Monson.
LAY DELEGATES—Joseph A. Funk, Warsaw; William R. West, Anderson.
RESERVES—George W. Milburn, Mishawaka; Aaron C. Swayzee, Marion.
- 1876—**BALTIMORE.** William S. Birch, Samuel N. Campbell, Ner H. Phillips, Abijah Marine RESERVES—Marmaduke H. Mendenhall, Enoch Holdstock.
LAY DELEGATES—Aaron C. Swayzee, Marion; Josiah H. Defrees, Goshen.
RESERVES—Charles C. Binkley, Richmond; George W. Brackenridge, Fort Wayne.
- 1880—**CINCINNATI.** Abijah Marine, Marmaduke H. Mendenhall, Ezra F. Hasty, Almon Greenman.
RESERVES—Thomas Stabler, John W. Welch.
LAY DELEGATES—John Arnold, South Whitley; Charles C. Binkley, Richmond.
RESERVES—Daniel B. Crawford, Richmond; Thomas B. Redding, New Castle.
- 1884—**PHILADELPHIA.** Thomas Stabler, Charles E. Disbro, Clark Skinner, John W. Welch RESERVES—Yancy B. Meredith, Humphrey J. Meck.
LAY DELEGATES—Jacob J. Todd, Bluffton; John H. Baker, Goshen.
RESERVES—Charles L. Henry, Anderson; Daniel L. Overholser, Logansport.
- 1888—**NEW YORK.** Charles G. Hudson, Franklin T. Simpson, Cyrus W. Lynch, Enoch Holstock RESERVES—Joshua E. Ervin, James Greer.
LAY DELEGATES—Joseph S. Baker, Warsaw; Charles L. Henry, Anderson.
RESERVES—Daniel L. Overholser, Logansport; Robert W. McBride, Waterloo.
- 1892—**OMAHA.** Augustus E. Mahin, Almeron W. Lamport, Benjamin A. Kemp, David C. Woolpert, Charles G. Hudson.
RESERVES—George H. Hill, Joshua E. Ervin.
LAY DELEGATES—Norman Beckley, Elkhart; James O'Brien, Kokomo.
RESERVES—Benjamin G. Shinn, Hartford City; John S. Patterson, Knightstown.
- 1896—**CLEVELAND.** Horace N. Herrick, Frank G. Browne, Augustus E. Mahin, William D. Parr, George H. Hill.
RESERVES—Charles G. Hudson, Jacomiah H. Jackson.
LAY DELEGATES—John S. Patterson, Knightstown; Christian B. Stemen, Fort Wayne.
RESERVES—James H. Dehority, Elwood; William A. Thompson, Muncie.
- 1900—**CHICAGO.** Cyrus U. Wade, Horace N. Herrick, Frank G. Browne, William D. Parr, Mitchell S. Marble.
RESERVES—Leslie J. Naftzger, James C. Murray.
LAY DELEGATES—Albert A. Small, Anderson; Albert B. Cline, Bluffton; Leonidas H. Bunyan, Richmond; George T. Herrick, Wabash; Thomas A. Doan, Ossian.
RESERVES—Charles F. Mather, Marion; John L. Cavin, Ligonier; Benj. G. Shinn, Hartford City; Asbury L. Kerwood, Muncie; William E. Groves, Milford.
- 1904—**LOS ANGELES.** Cyrus U. Wade, William D. Parr, Horace N. Herrick, George H. Hill, Leslie J. Naftzger, Frank G. Browne.
RESERVES—Ephraim L. Semans, Henry W. Bennett, William H. Daniel.
LAY DELEGATES—Hon. Hugh Daugherty, Bluffton; Dr. D. L. Overholser, Logansport; Harvey Blacklidge, Anderson; Mrs. Frank Wilson, Wabash; John L. Cavin, Ligonier; George W. Williams, Knightstown.
RESERVES—William C. Chafee, Huntington; Carey C. Ayers, Redkey; Mrs. Dan Waugh, Tipton.
- 1908—**BALTIMORE.** Henry W. Bennett, Cyrus U. Wade, Leslie J. Naftzger, Cassius C. Cissell Thomas M. Guild, William D. Parr.
RESERVES—Brenton S. Hollopeter, Thomas J. Johnson, Somerville Light.
LAY DELEGATES—Edward G. Eberhart, Mishawaka; Cary C. Ayers, Redkey; Charles C. Cartwright, Portland; Mrs. Alice Waugh, Tipton; Abraham May, Markle; Dec O. Skillen, Yorktown.
RESERVES—Benjamin G. Shinn, Hartford City; Benjamin A. Helm, North Manchester; Albert W. Berry.

- 1912—MINNEAPOLIS. Somerville Light, Chesteen W. Smith, Wallace W. Martin, Cassius C. Cissell, Mitchell S. Marble, Charles E. Line.
RESERVES—Brenton S. Hollopeter, James A. Beatty, Cyrus U. Wade.
LAY DELEGATES—Everett Warren, Muncie; Marion B. Stults, Huntington; Albert B. Cline, Bluffton; J. McLean Moulder, Kokomo; William H. Charles, Marion; Mrs. John H. Binford, Greenfield.
RESERVES—George C. Morgan, LaGrange; Christian B. Stemen, Ft. Wayne; William Enslen, Ft. Wayne.
- 1916—SARATOGA SPRINGS. Brenton S. Hollopeter, Raymond J. Wade, George R. Grose, Somerville Light, Wallace W. Martin, James A. Beatty, C. Claude Travis.
RESERVES—Loren M. Edwards, Mitchell S. Marble, William B. Freeland.
LAY DELEGATES—Edward E. Youse, Markle; Mrs. May White, Elkhart; Burt W. Ayres, Upland; George E. Meck, Kokomo; Frederick C. Parham, Ft. Wayne; General W. H. Kemper, Muncie; George A. Whitezel, Peru, R. D. 10.
RESERVES—John Sutton, Dunkirk; Ozro N. Cranor, Albany; Mrs. Josie Nelson, Union City.

BISHOPS OF THE METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

Ordained Bishop.	NAMES.	Born.	Entered Ministry.		REMARKS.
			Conference.	Year.	
1784	Thomas Coke.....	Sept. 9, 1747	British Wesleyan.	1778	Died at Sea, May 3, 1814, aged 66.
1784	Francis Asbury.....	Aug. 20, 1745	British Wesleyan.	1767	Died in Virginia, March 31, 1816, aged 70.
1800	Richard Whatcoat.....	Feb. 23, 1736	British Wesleyan.	1769	Died in Delaware, July 5, 1806, aged 70.
1808	William McKendree.....	June 6, 1757	Meth. E. Church.	1788	Died in Tennessee, March 5, 1835, aged 77.
1816	Enoch George.....	Mar. 10, 1768	Meth. E. Church.	1790	Died in Virginia, August 23, 1828, aged 60.
1816	Robert R. Roberts.....	Aug. 20, 1778	Baltimore.....	1802	Died in Indiana, March 26, 1843, aged 64.
1824	Joshua Soule.....	Aug. 1, 1781	New England.....	1799	Ent. M. E. Church, South, 1846; died Mar. 6, 1867, aged 86.
1824	Elijah Hedding.....	June 7, 1780	New York.....	1801	Died in Poughkeepsie, April 9, 1852, aged 71.
1832	Jas. O. Andrews.....	Jan. 7, 1794	South Carolina.....	1812	Bishop M. E. Ch., South, 1846; died Mar. 2, 1871, aged 77.
1832	John Emory.....	April 11, 1789	Philadelphia.....	1810	Died in Maryland, December 16, 1835, aged 46.
1836	Beverly Waugh.....	Oct. 25, 1789	Baltimore.....	1809	Died in Maryland, February 9, 1858, aged 68.
1836	Thomas A. Morris.....	April 28, 1794	Ohio.....	1816	Died in Springfield, Ohio, September 2, 1874, aged 80.
1844	L. L. Hamline.....	May 10, 1797	Ohio.....	1832	Resigned, 1852; died in Iowa, February 22, 1865, aged 67.
1844	Edmund S. Janes.....	April 28, 1807	Philadelphia.....	1830	Died in New York City, September 18, 1876, aged 69.
1852	Levi Scott.....	Oct. 11, 1802	Philadelphia.....	1826	Died in Odessa, Delaware, July 13, 1882, aged 79.
1852	Matthew Simpson.....	June 21, 1811	Pittsburgh.....	1833	Died in Philadelphia, June 18, 1884, aged 72.
1852	Osmon C. Baker.....	July 30, 1812	New Hampshire.....	1839	Died in Concord, N. H., December 20, 1871, aged 59.
1852	Edward R. Ames.....	May 20, 1806	Illinois.....	1830	Died in Baltimore, April 25, 1879, aged 72.
1864	Davis Wasgatt Clark.....	Feb. 25, 1812	New York.....	1843	Died in Cincinnati, May 23, 1871, aged 59.
1864	Edward Thomson.....	Oct. 12, 1810	Ohio.....	1832	Died in Wheeling, W. Va., March 22, 1870, aged 59.
1864	Calvin Kinsley.....	Sept. 8, 1812	Erie.....	1841	Died in Beirut, Syria, April 6, 1870, aged 57.
1872	Thomas Bowman.....	July 15, 1817	Baltimore.....	1839	Died in East Orange, N. J., March 3, 1914, aged 97.
1872	William L. Harris.....	Nov. 4, 1817	Michigan.....	1837	Died in New York, September 2, 1887, aged 69.
1872	Randolph S. Foster.....	Feb. 22, 1820	Ohio.....	1837	Died in Newton Center, Mass., May 1, 1903, aged 83.
1872	Isaac W. Wiley.....	May 29, 1825	East Genesee.....	1850	Died in Poochow, China, November 22, 1884, aged 59.
1872	Stephen M. Merrill.....	Sept. 16, 1825	Ohio.....	1846	Died in Keyport, N. J., November 12, 1905, aged 80.
1872	Edward G. Andrews.....	Aug. 7, 1825	Oneida.....	1848	Died in Brooklyn, N. Y., December 31, 1907, aged 82.
1872	Gilbert Haven.....	Sept. 19, 1821	New England.....	1851	Died in Malden, Mass., January 3, 1880, aged 58.
1872	Jesse T. Peck.....	April 4, 1811	Oneida.....	1832	Died in Syracuse, N. Y., May 17, 1883, aged 72.
1880	Henry W. Warren.....	Jan. 4, 1831	New England.....	1855	Died in University Park, Col., July 23, 1912, aged 81
1880	Cyrus D. Foss.....	Jan. 17, 1834	New York.....	1857	Died in Philadelphia, January 29, 1910, aged 76.
1880	John F. Hurst.....	Aug. 17, 1834	Newark.....	1858	Died in Bethesda, Md., May 4, 1903, aged 68.
1880	Erastus O. Haven.....	Nov. 1, 1820	New York.....	1848	Died in Salem, Ore., August 2, 1881, aged 60.
1884	William X. Ninde.....	June 21, 1832	Black River.....	1856	Died in Detroit, Mich., January 3, 1901, aged 68.
1884	John M. Walden.....	Feb. 11, 1831	Cincinnati.....	1858	Died in Daytona, Fla., Jan. 21, 1914, aged 83.
1884	William F. Mallalieu.....	Dec. 11, 1828	New England.....	1858	Died in Auburndale, Mass., Aug. 1, 1911, aged 82.
1884	Charles H. Fowler.....	Aug. 11, 1837	Rock River.....	1861	Died in New York, March 20, 1908, aged 70.
1888	John H. Vincent.....	Feb. 23, 1832	New Jersey.....	1853	Residence, 5700 Washington Avenue, Chicago, Ill.
1888	James N. FitzGerald.....	July 27, 1837	Newark.....	1862	Died April 4, 1907, Hong Kong, China, aged 69.
1888	Isaac W. Joyce.....	Oct. 11, 1836	N. W. Indiana.....	1859	Died in Minneapolis, Minn., July 28, 1905, aged 68.
1888	John P. Newman.....	Sept. 1, 1826	Oneida.....	1849	Died in Saratoga, N. Y., July 5, 1899, aged 72.
1888	Daniel A. Goodsell.....	Nov. 5, 1840	New York East.....	1859	Died in New York City, December 5, 1909, aged 69.
1896	Charles C. McCabe.....	Oct. 11, 1836	Ohio.....	1860	Died in New York City, December 19, 1906, aged 70.
1896	Earl Cranston.....	June 27, 1840	Ohio.....	1867	Residence, Washington, D. C.
1900	David H. Moore.....	Sept. 4, 1838	Ohio.....	1860	Died in Cin'ti, Nov. 22, 1915; buried in Athens, O., aged 77.
1900	John W. Hamilton.....	Mar. 18, 1845	Pittsburgh.....	1866	Residence, 36 Bromfield St., Boston, Mass.
1904	Joseph F. Berry.....	May 13, 1856	Detroit.....	1874	Residence, 1026 Arch St., Philadelphia, Pa.
1904	Henry Spillmeyer.....	Nov. 25, 1847	Newark.....	1869	Died in Atlantic City, March 14, 1910, aged 62.
1904	Wm. F. McDowell.....	Feb. 4, 1858	North Ohio.....	1882	Residence, 1336 Sheridan Road, Evanston, Ill.
1904	James W. Bashford.....	May 27, 1849	New England.....	1880	Residence, Methodist Episcopal Mission, Pekin, China.
1904	William Burt.....	Oct. 23, 1852	New York East.....	1881	Residence, 455 Franklin St., Buffalo, N. Y.
1904	Luther B. Wilson.....	Nov. 14, 1856	Baltimore.....	1878	Residence, 150 Fifth Avenue, New York.
1904	Thomas B. Neeley.....	June 12, 1841	Philadelphia.....	1865	Residence, Philadelphia, Pa.
1908	William F. Anderson.....	April 22, 1860	New York.....	1887	Residence, 220 W. Fourth St., Cincinnati, O.
1908	John L. Nuelsen.....	Jan. 19, 1867	West German.....	1889	Residence, 132 Zollikerstr., Zurich, Switzerland.
1908	William A. Quayle.....	June 26, 1861	Kansas.....	1885	Residence, St. Paul, Minn.
1908	Charles W. Smith.....	Jan. 30, 1840	Pittsburgh.....	1859	Died in Washington, D. C., October 31, 1914, aged 74.
1908	Wilson S. Lewis.....	July 17, 1857	Upper Iowa.....	1885	Residence, Foochow, China.
1908	Edwin H. Hughes.....	Dec. 7, 1866	Iowa.....	1886	Residence, 435 Buchanan St., San Francisco, Cal.
1908	Robert McIntyre.....	Nov. 20, 1851	Illinois.....	1878	Died in Chicago, August 30, 1914, aged 63.
1908	Frank M. Bristol.....	Jan. 4, 1851	Rock River.....	1877	Residence, Omaha, Neb.
1912	Homer C. Stuntz.....	Jan. 29, 1858	Upper Iowa.....	1884	Residence, Buenos Aires, Argentina, S. A.

* Superannuated 1904.

† Superannuated 1912.

BISHOPS OF THE METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.—Continued.

Ordained Bishop...	NAMES.	Born.	Entered Ministry.		REMARKS.
			Conference.	Year.	
1912	Theo. S. Henderson...	May 14, 1868	New York East...	1893	Residence, Chattanooga, Tenn.
1912	William O. Shepard...	April 11, 1862	Rock River.....	1888	Residence, Kansas City, Kas.
1912	Naphtali Luccock...	Sept. 28, 1853	Pittsburgh.....	1874	Died in St. Louis, Apr. 1, 1916, aged 72. Buried at St. L.
1912	Francis J. McConnell.	Aug. 18, 1871	New England.....	1894	Residence, Denver, Col.
1912	Frederick D. Leete...	Oct. 1, 1866	Northern N. Y....	1889	Residence, Atlanta, Ga.
1912	Richard J. Cooke....	Jan. 31, 1853	Holston.....	1873	Residence, 414 North Thirty-first St., Portland, Ore.
1912	Wilbur P. Thirkfield..	Sept. 25, 1854	Cincinnati.....	1878	Residence, New Orleans, La.

** MISSIONARY BISHOPS.

Ordained Bishop...	NAMES.	Born.	Entered Ministry.		REMARKS.
			Conference.	Year.	
1858	Francis E. Burns....	Dec. 5, 1809	Liberia.....	1838	Died in Baltimore, April 18, 1863, aged 53.
1866	John W. Roberts....	Sept. 8, 1812	Liberia.....	1838	Died in Liberia, January 30, 1875, aged 63.
1884	William Taylor.....	May 2, 1821	Baltimore.....	1843	Died in Palo Alto, May 18, 1902, aged 81.
1888	*James M. Thoburn...	Mar. 7, 1836	Pittsburgh.....	1858	Residence, Meadville, Pa.
1896	Joseph C. Hartzell...	June 1, 1842	Central Illinois...	1868	Residence, Funchal, Madeira Islands, Africa.
1900	Edwin W. Parker....	Jan. 21, 1833	Vermont.....	1857	Died at Naini Tal, India, June 3, 1901, aged 68.
1900	Frank W. Warne....	Dec. 31, 1854	Ontario, Can. Ch.	1874	Residence, Lucknow, India.
1904	Isaiah B. Scott.....	Sept. 30, 1854	Tennessee.....	1880	Residence, Monrovia, Liberia.
1904	William F. Oldham...	Dec. 15, 1854	Michigan.....	1883	Resigned 1912, to become Sec. Board of Foreign Missions.
1904	John E. Robinson...	Feb. 12, 1849	Central Illinois...	1874	Residence, Bombay, India.
1904	Merriam C. Harris...	July 9, 1846	Pittsburgh.....	1869	Residence, Seoul, Korea.
1912	John W. Robinson...	Jan. 6, 1866	Des Moines.....	1890	Residence, Methodist Episcopal Mission, Bombay, India.
1912	William P. Eveland...	Feb. 12, 1864	Central Pa.....	1891	Residence, Manila, P. I.

** Bishops Burns, Roberts, Taylor, Hartzell, and Scott, Missionary Bishops for Africa; Bishop Thoburn for India and Malaysia; Bishops Parker, Warne, Oldham, and Robinson for South Asia; Bishop Harris for Japan and Korea.
* Superannuated 1908.

Appointment Record.

The following Record is a continuation of that in the L. W. Monson Manual, and is corrected to April 1, 1916, including the changes made during the year as reported by the District Superintendents to the Secretary. An effort is made to condense as much as possible by using abbreviations easily understood. The figures "18" and "19" are omitted from the years given, as all the appointments are in these two centuries. In some instances no record is made of the services in other Conferences because of the lack of data.

Abbreviations.—Loc., Located; Miss., Missionary; S., in School; Sn., Superannuated; Sy., Supernumerary; Sup., Supply; R., Retired SECRETARY.

Explanatory—To find the length of a pastorate on a charge from the following record it will be necessary to take into account BOTH the FIRST and LAST years of appointment. 02-6 means five years of service on that charge

APPOINTMENTS OF MEMBERS OF THE NORTH INDIANA CONFERENCE, INCLUDING THE YEAR 1915.

- Albright, P. J.**—74, Santa Fe; 75-6, Perkinsville; 77-9, Elwood; 80-2, Dunkirk; 83-5, Pendleton; 86, Selma; North Dakota Conf., July, 86, to October, 88; Mandan; North Indiana Conf., October, 88-9, New Burlington; 90-2, Alexandria; 93-4, Middletown; 95, Farmland, 6 months; 96, Sn.; 97-8, Prison Chaplain; 99-00, Sn.; November 1, 99 to April 1, 00, Sup. Andrews; 01, Atlanta; 02, Millgrove; 03, Muncie, Normal City; 04-5, Sn. and Sup. Arcadia 4 months, 05; 06, Sn. and Sup. Arcadia 6 months, Kokomo, North St., 6 months; 07-9, Sn.; 10, Sn. and Sup. McCordsville; 11-15, R.
- Allen, Eugene.**—Detroit Conf.: 95, Watrousville; 96-8, Birmingham; 99-03, Detroit, Preston Church; 04-06, Ypsilanti. Iowa Conf.: 07-09, Oska-loosa, Central Church; 10 to May 1, 14, Burlington First Church. North Indiana Conf.: May 1, 14-15, Anderson, First Church.
- Amos, W. M.**—00-3, Sup. New Waverly; 04, New Waverly; 05-14, Walton; 15, Atlanta.
- Anderson, C. W.**—Ind. Conf. 05-6 Sup. Branchville, Ct.; N. W. Ind., 06-7, Reelsville; 08, Sup. Clayton and Cartersburg; 09, Cartersburg; Ind. Conf. 10; 10-11, Monrovia; 12-13, 18 months Bellville Ct.; 13, N. Ind.; 13-15, Shirley.
- Arnold, W. T.**—99-04, Jonesboro; 05-8, Fortville; 09-12, Logansport, Market St.; 13-15, Bluffton.
- Asay, W. C.**—Colorado Conf. Sup.: 01, Mosca 2 mos.; August to April, 02, Palisades. N. Indiana Conf.: 02, Shideler Circuit; 03, Sup. Millgrove; 04-6, Millgrove; 07, Perkinsville; 08, Amboy; 09-11, Muncie, Normal City; 12-15, Sharpsville.
- Backus, A. H.**—01, Sup. Boxley; 02, S.; 03-4, Atlanta; 05-7, Marion, Ninth St., and Home Park; 08-9, North Manchester; 10-13, LaGrange; 14-15, Butler.
- Bailey, J. F.**—88, Coesse; 89-90, Pendleton Circuit; 91-2, S.; 93, North Anderson; 94-5, Muncie Circuit; 96, New Burlington, 97-8, Muncie, Avondale; 99-01, Gaston; 02, Ridgeville; 03-5, Mentone; 06-7, Milford; 08, Goshen, St. Marks; 09-10, Bourbon; 11-12, Wolcottville; 13-14, Atlanta; 15, Churubusco Ct.; April 13, resigned.
- Bailor, G. W.**—04-6, Wolcottville and Rome City; 07-9, New Paris; 10-12, Atlanta; 13, Forest; 14-15, Santa Fe.

- Baker, L. C.**—07, Sup. Oak Grove; 08, Sup. Corunna; 09, South Milford; 10, Avilla; 11, Avilla 5 mos., resigned; 12-14, Sy; 15, Loc. own request.
- Ballard, R. C.**—N. W. Indiana Conf.: 05. North Indiana Conf.: 14-15, Lewisville.
- Barrett, J. Z.**—91-2, Scircleville; 93-6, Millgrove; 97, Van Buren; 98-03, Mt. Etna; 04, Akron; 05-8, Frankton; 09, Summitville; 10, Summitville Circuit; 11, Muncie, Avondale; 12, six months Avondale; 13-15, Sy.
- Barrett, M. E.**—05, Sup. Trenton 6 mos.; 06-8, Spiceland; 09, Dublin 6 mos., S. 6 mos.; 10-15, S.
- Bash, C. E.**—13-14, Waterloo; 15, Winchester Ct. 5 months; S. 7 months.
- Beall, T. H. C.**—68-9, Jerome; 70, Boxley; 71-2, Perkinsville; 73, Alexandria; 74-6, Cicero; 77, New Britton; 78-80, Fishersburg; 81, Sharpsville; 82-4, Cicero; 85-6, Elwood and Frankton; 87, Westfield; 88, New Britton; 89, Macy; 90, Churubusco; 91-4, Sn.; 95, Cicero; 96, McCordsville; 97-15, R.
- Bean, J.**—Indiana Conf.: 93-97, S; 98-1900, Stuartsville; 01, Patoka; 02-03, S; 04-06, Waldron; 07-08, New Harmony; 09-12, Oakland City; 13, Evansville, Simpson Church, 6 months. North Indiana Conf.: 14, La Grange; 15, Columbia City.
- Beatty, D. C.**—12, October, Sup. Muncie, Avondale; 13-14, Muncie, Avondale; 15, Bristol.
- Beatty, J. A.**—85, Coesse; 86-7, Harlan; 88, Leesburg; 89-91, Angola; 92-5, Ligonier; 96-8, Warsaw; 99-03, Elwood; 04-8, Huntington; 09, Elkhart, Trinity; 10-15, Ft. Wayne District.
- Bechdolt, B. M.**—10, Kokomo, North St.; 11, Hobbs, 12-13, Center; 14-15, Roann.
- Beeks, L. A.**—82-4, Elwood and Frankton; 85-7, Williamsburg; 88-90, Kendallville; 91-3, Knightstown; 94-8, Hartford City; 99-00, Huntington; 01-5, Bluffton; 06-8, Elkhart; 09-10, Noblesville; 11-15, Sy.
- Bennett, H. W.**—Upper Iowa Conf.: 72-4, Nora Springs; 75-7, Mason City; 78-80, Cedar Rapids; 81-3, Dubuque, Main St. Illinois Conf.: 84-6, Bloomington, First Church. Ohio Conf.: 87-91, Columbus, Wesley. East Ohio Conf.: 92-4, Akron, First Church. North Indiana Conf.: 95-7, Ft. Wayne, Wayne St.; 98-02, Anderson, Meridian St.; 03-8, Goshen District; 09, Mishawaka; 10, Conf. Evan; 11-15, R.; Deceased December 30, 15.
- Billheimer, S.**—91, West Point; 92-3, Silver Lake; 94-5, Sy., 6 mos. Sup; Farmland; 96-9, Farmland; 00-1, Selma; 02-4, Sharpsville; 05-9, Sy. 10-14, R., and Sup. Richmond, Third Church, 9 mos.; 15, R.
- Bills, J. O.**—86, Sup. Ridgeville; 87-8, Ridgeville; 89-90, Hagerstown; 91-3, S.; 94-8, Converse; 99, Tipton; 00-1, Redkey; 02-3, Alexandria; 04-11, Conf. Evan.; 12, 10 mos. Montpelier; 13-15, Montpelier.
- Black, R. I.**—Indiana Conf.: 04-5, Sup. Hardinsbury 18 mos.; 06, Elizabeth 6 mos.; 07-8, Fredericksburg; 00, trans. to N. Indiana Conf.; Dec. 1, Matthews; 09, Matthews; 10-11, Lynn, 5 mos., Charlottesville, 7 mos.; 12-13, Charlottesville; 14, Saratoga; 15, Saratoga; October 1, Resigned.
- Blocker, John F.**—99, Missionary Baptist Church. Indiana Conf.: 10-11, Crothersville; 12-13, Morgantown. North Indiana Conf., June 1, 1913, Sweetser; 14-15, Sweetser.
- Boase, H.**—04, Sup. Ashley; 05-6, Ashley; 07-10, Galveston; 11-12, Wakarusa; 13, Wakarusa 5 mos., Topeka 7 mos.; 14-15, Topeka.
- Booth, C. R.**—Illinois Conf.: 07, Sup. Thomasboro; 08, Urbana, Third Church; 09-11, Chestnut. N. Indiana Conf.: 12-13, Roanoke; Sept., 13-15, S.

- Bowen, J. W.**—82-4, Portland Ct.; 85-6, Lynn; 87-8, Centerville; 88-9, S.; 89, Sup. Chicago, Moreland Miss.; 90-2, Lynn; 93-4, Charlottesville; 95-6, Ridgeville; 97-8, Cicero; 99-01, Bristol; 02-3, Galveston; 04, So. Whitley; 05, So. Whitley 7 mos.; 06, Sy.; 07-8, Marion, Highland Ave.; 09, N. Webster 6 mos, Middlebury 6 mos; 10-13, Middlebury; 14-15, Leesburg.
- Bridge, U. S. A.**—89, Inwood; 90, West Point; 91-2, S.; 93, Waterloo; 94-5, Claypool; 96-9, South Whitley; 00, Logansport, Market St.; 01-4, Tipton; 05-7, New Castle; 08-11, Peru; 12-13, Portland; 14-15, Richmond.
- Brooks, C. B.**—11-13, Anderson, Indiana Ave.; 14, Westfield; 15, Loc., own request.
- Brown, C. H.**—Northern New York: 70, Sup. Chasem Falls; 72, Sup. Parishville. N. Indiana Conf.: 74, Sup. Sheldon; 75-6, Sheldon; 77-9, Monroeville; 80-2, Peru; 83-5, Wabash; 86-90, Kokomo; 91-5, New Castle; 96-7, Lagrange; 98-00, Elkhart; 01-2, Union City; 03-7, Montpelier; 08, Logansport, Market St.; 09-10, Sn. and Sup. Bunker Hill 6 mos.; 11-15, R.
- Brown, D. A. J.**—07, Sup. Geneva Circuit; 08, Geneva Circuit; 09, Spencer-ville; 10, Bobo; 11, Bobo 6 mos., resigned; 12, New Haven; 13-14, Poneto 6 mos., Hudson and Ashley 6 mos; 15, Hudson.
- Browne, F. G.**—81, Logansport, Wheatland St.; 82, Goldsmith; 83-5, Jonesboro; 86-7, Ft. Wayne, Wayne St.; 88-91, Mishawaka; 92-6, Huntington; 97-04, Asst. Editor Western Christian Advocate; 05-7, Tipton; 08-9, New Castle; 10-11, Columbia City; 12, Middletown, 7 mos; 13-15, R.
- Brown, W. W.**—85, Portland Circuit; 86, Lewisville and Ogden; 87-8, Mt. Etna; 89, Atwood; 90-1, Roann; 92, LaFontaine; 93-5, Sn.; 96-8, Akron; 99-00, Lago; 01, Alto; 02, Alto 6 mos.; 03-6, Sn. and in 06 Sup. Williamsburg; 07, Williamsburg; 08-9, Hagerstown; 10-15, R.
- Bunner, E. A.**—98, 6 mos. Sup. Woodburn; 99, Sup. Woodburn; 00-2, Woodburn; 03-7, Ft. Wayne Circuit; 08-12, Hometown; 13-15, Spiceland.
- Burkett, Albert D.**—04-05, Sup., Woodburn; 06, S.; 07, Sup., York and Thoburn, Chicago; 08-10, Lyndon, Rock River Conf.; 11, Malta; 12, Malta 6 mos., Wyoming Mission 6 mos.; 13, Sy. 6 mos., North Indiana Conf., Mt. Etna, 6 mos.; 14, Mt. Etna; 15, Huntington Ct.
- Burns, Frank S.**—Kentucky Conf.: 06-08, Bowling Green, Ky. Indiana Conf.: 09-10, Washington; 11, Crothersville; 12, Falmouth; 13, West Newton; 14, West Newton 6 mos.; North Indiana Conf., Alvorado 6 mos.; 15, Valentine.
- Burns, Robert**—Holiness Christian Church; 01, Sup. Lebanon 4 mos., Greensburg 8 mos.; 02, Tipton; 03, Zanas; 04, New London. N. Indiana Conf.: 05-7, Amboy; 08-9, Windfall; 10, Windfall 6 mos., Sheridan 6 mos.; 11-12, Sheridan; 13-15, Albion.
- Byrt, Chas.**—10, Sup. Spencerville; 11, Spencerville; 12-14, Twelve Mile; 15, Amboy.
- Cain, J. S.**—74, Fortville; 75-6, Windfall; 77, Kempton; 78-9, Lynn; 80-1, Whitewater; 82, Lewisville; 83-4, Milford; 85, Inwood. 86-9, N. W. Indiana Conf. N. Indiana Conf: 90, Nappanee; 91-2, Bristol; 93-4, Butler; 95-6, Marion, Grace Church; 97-8, Andrews; 99, Avilla; 00-3, Geneva; 04-6, New Haven; 07, Hamilton; 08-10, Warsaw Ct.; 11-15, R.
- Cain, J. W.**—S. E. Indiana Conf.: 76, New Trenton. S. Kansas Conf.: 77, Sedgwick City; 78-80, Belle Plaine. N. Indiana Conf.: 81, Cicero; 82-3, Westfield; 84-6, LaFontaine; 87-8, South Whitley; 89-91, Bourbon; 92-4, Goshen, Fifth Ave.; 95-9, Winchester; 00, New Castle; 01-3, Peru; 04-5, Hartford City, Grace Church; 06-7, Warren; 08, Sheridan; 09, Gas City; 10-15, Gen. Sec. P. A.

- Campbell, J. O.**—96-7, S.; 98-01, McCordsville; 02-3, Anderson, Madison Ave.; 04-7, Richmond, Fifth St.; 08, Greenfield (nominal), Nov. 1, Centerville; 09-11, Middletown; 12-13, Hamilton; 14-15, Van Buren.
- Carey, A. J.**—71, Jerome; 72-3, Santa Fe; 74-5, Walton; 76, Russiaville; 77, Jonesboro; 78, Montpelier; 79, Alexandria; 80-1, New Burlington; 82, Palestine; 83-5, Macy; 86-7, Leesburg; 88-9, Middlebury; 90, New Waverly; 91, Russiaville; 92-3, Sheridan; 94, Cicero; 95, Arcadia; 96-7, Sy.; 98, Larwill; 99-01, LaFontaine; 02, Hoagland; 03-4, Marion, Ninth St. and Highland Ave.; 05-6, Windfall; 07, Kokomo, North St., and Atlanta; 08, Richmond, Third Church; 09-15, R.
- Carlson, K. H.**—10-12, S.; 13-14, Fremont; 15, Elkhart, Simpson Memorial.
- Carnes, L. G.**—Ind. Conf.: Sup. Jan. 1, 04, to Sept. 1, 05, Elizabeth; 05-6, Sup. Newtonville; 07-8, Pekin; 09, Marengo; 10-11, Chrisney; 12-13, Cynthiana; 14, Farmersburg, 10 mos.; 15, Aug. 1, North Ind., Hamilton.
- Cates, A.**—00, Sup. Scircleville; 01, Galveston; 02, Milford; 03, Wakarusa; 04-5, Milford; 06, Topeka 6 mos.; 07-9, Sheridan, Wyo.; Jan., 1910, Richmond, Grace Church; 10-13, Richmond, Grace Church; 14-15, Tipton.
- Cates, S. L.**—03-4, Hillisburg; 05, Kokomo, North St., 6 mos.; Cody, Wyo., Miss. 6 mos.; 06, Miss. Cody, Wyo., 6 mos., Topeka 6 mos.; 07, Topeka; 08-9, S.; 10-14, Nappanee; 15, Greenfield.
- Chadwick, C. W.**—07, Sup. Spartansburg; 08-09, Sup. Ind. Conf., Quincy and Eminence; 10, Ind. Conf., Putnamville; 11-14, S. (while in school, Sup. 11-12, Seeleyville and Lena, 13; Terre Haute, Grace, 14; Ben Davis); 15, N. Ind., Bunker Hill.
- Chamness, J. P.**—91-5, Geneva; 96-9, Fountain City; 00-3, Richmond, Fifth St.; 04-9, Muncie, Avondale; 10-11, Ridgeville; 12-14, Lynn; 15, Richmond, Third St.
- Cloud, C. A.**—In Presbyterian Church, 97-01, Roann; 01-03, Sturgis, Mich.; 03-5, Edwardsburg, Mich.; 05-10, Sheldon, Ill. N. Indiana Conf.: 10-12, Amboy; 13-15, Syracuse.
- Coffin, J. E.**—Indiana Conf.: 93, S.; 94-5, Greenville; 96, Gentryville; 97-8, Francisco; 99-01, Lawrence; 02, Carthage; 03, Sept. to Dec., Carthage. N. Indiana Conf.: 03, Dec. to April, North Webster; 04-5, North Webster; 06-7, Anderson, Noble St.; 08, Converse; 09-12, Cambridge City; 13-14, Pennville. June, 1915, withdrawn from ministry and Church.
- Conway, G. L.**—Ind. Conf.: 08, Sup. Butlerville; 09-10, Yankeetown; 11, Ass't pastor, Evansville, Simpson; 12-13, Lynnvile; 14, Ass't pastor Evansville, St. James; 15, North Ind. Conf., Sept., Bobo.
- Cook, J. B.**—74, Liberty Mills; 75-6, Mt. Etna; 77, Galveston; 78-9, Point Isabel; 80-1, New Waverly; 82, Santa Fe; 83, Goldsmith; 84-5, Poneto; 86, Monroe; 87-8, Farmland; 89-92, Redkey; 93-5, Lapel; 96, Garrett; 97, Geneva; 98-01, Albany Circuit; 02-4, Summitville; 05-6, Ossian; 07-8, Monroeville; 09-10, Harlan; 11-13, Denver; 14-15, R.
- Crafts, G. H.**—Des Moines, 94-7. N. Indiana Conf.: 08-9, Swayzee; 10, South Whitley; 11-12, Monroe; 13-15, Sy.
- Cremean, F. H.**—12-15, Ft. Wayne, St. Paul.
- Croxall, C. B.**—West Wisconsin, 05-06; Mazomanie; 07, to April, 11, Lodi. North Indiana Conf.: 11-14, Bristol; 15, Red Key.
- Daly, W. T.**—10-15, North Webster.
- Davis, C. E.**—S. W. Kansas Conf.: 88-89, Elmer; 90-91, Conway Springs; 92, Goddard; 93-94, Andover. N. Indiana Conf.: Nov., 94, Sup. Bunker Hill; 95, Bunker Hill; 96-98, Avilla; 99-00, Bourbon; 01-15, R.; Deceased, Oct. 15.

- Davis, E.**—85-6, Perkinsville; 87-9, Muncie Circuit; 90-1, Bunker Hill; 92-3, Cicero; 94-7, Albany Circuit; 98, New Burlington; 99, Pennville; 00-1, Macy; 02, Warren; 03, Sn.; 04, Valentine; 05-6, Gilman; 07, New Waverly; 08-15, R.
- De Bow, C. L.**—06-7, Corunna; 08-10, Wakarusa; 11-15, Ligonier.
- DeWitt, E. E.**—09-10, Fishers; 11-12, Shideler; 13-15, De Soto.
- Dickson, Edwin.**—02-5, Sup. McCordsville; 06-8, Sup. Noblesville, Ninth St.; 09-12, Leo; 13-15, Etna Green.
- Disbro, C. E.**—59, Lincoln; 60, Miami; 61, Alto; 62-3, Loc. Readmitted: 64-6, Decatur; 67, Bluffton; 68-9, Cicero; 70-2, Alto; 73, Mexico; 74, Peru, St. Paul; 75-7, Huntington; 78-80, Lagrange; 81-4, Kokomo District; 85-7, Elkhart; 88-9, Portland; 90-4, Greentown; 95-7, Butler; 98-9, Sharpsville; 00-15, R.
- Dougherty, C. B.**—05-6, Hoagland; 07, Orland; 08-10, Fremont; 11, Ossian; 12, Selma; 13, Sy. and Sup. Gaston 5 mos.; 13-15, Gaston.
- Dunbar, E. M.**—08-09, Sup. Woodburn; 10-11, Portland Circuit; 12-14, Geneva; 15, Pennville.
- Dunn, E. C.**—98, 4 mos. Sup. Walton; 99, Sup. Walton; 00, Walton; 01-2, Center; 03-5, Santa Fe; 06-7, Russiaville; 08-15, Logansport, Wheatland Ave.
- Duryee, A. J.**—94, Sup. Butler Circuit; 95, Sup. Elkhart Circuit; 96-7, Elkhart Circuit; 98, Wakarusa; 99, Etna Green; 00-1, Jolietville; 02, Forest; 03-5, Center; 06-8, Uniondale; 09-10, Liberty Mills; 11-12, Spartansburg; 13-15, Maxwell.
- Edwards, John F.**—Indiana Conf.: 11-14, S., N. Indiana Conf.; 15, Russiaville.
- Edwards, L. M.**—Indiana Conf.: 99-00, Milroy. N. Indiana Conf.: 01, Anderson, Noble St., 6 mos.; 02, Anderson, Noble St., 5 mos.; 03-4, S.; 05, Noblesville, Ninth St.; 06, Westfield; 07, Westfield, 6 mos.; Ft. Wayne, Simpson, 6 mos.; 08, Ft. Wayne, Simpson; 09-11, Portland; 12-15, Mishawaka.
- Ervin, J. E.**—64, Portland and President Farmers' Academy; 65-6, Camden; 67, Tipton; 68-9, Peru, Third St.; 70-2, Muncie; 73-4, Kendallville; 75, Mishawaka; 76, Wabash; 77-8, Auburn; 79-80, Bluffton; 81-2, Ligonier; 83-4, Union City; 85-90, Kokomo District; 91, Union City; 92-3, Portland; 94-5, Angola; 96, West Marion; 97-9, Piercetown; 00, South Whitley; 01-4, Cicero; 05-15, R.
- Everson, C. J.**—03, Sup. De Soto 8 mos.; 04, Sup. Muncie, Normal City; 05-8, Muncie, Normal City; 09, Anderson, Grace; 10-11, Summitville; 12-14, End. Secy. Taylor University; 15, Financial Agt. Anti-Saloon League.
- Ewell, H. A.**—Cincinnati Conf.: 73, Sup. Feesburg. Kentucky Conf.: 74-5, Asbury; 76-7, Crittenden. Nebraska Conf.: 78, South Bend; 79-80, Union; 81, Sutton; 82, Fairfield; 83, Auburn; 84-5, Sy.; 86, Clay Center; 87-8, Carleton; 89, Superior; 90-1, Fairfield. Central Illinois Conf.: 92-3, Verona; 94-5, Cornell; 96, Lacon. N. Indiana Conf.: 97-8, Churubusco; 99, Lynn; 00-1, Fountain City; 02-3, Roann; 04-15, R.
- Ferris, J. E.**—95, New Burlington; 96-7, Parker; 98, Perkinsville; 99, 5 mos.; Perkinsville, 7 mos.; Anderson, Noble St., 5 mos.; 00, Anderson, Noble St.; 01, 5 mos. Anderson, Noble St.; 02-3, Sy., Sup. Fernando, Cal.; 04, Arcadia, 6 mos.; 04-10, E. Central Africa, Miss. Conf.: 04-5, Principal Umtali Academy; 06-7, P. E. Old Umtali Dist.; 08-9, Principal Old Umtali Training School; N. Indiana Conf., 10, Logan, Utah, 4 mos.; 10-13, Price Academy, Utah.; 10-15, Benson, Arizona, Teaching.

- Fetto, J. T.**—78-9, Mt. Etna; 80-1, Warren; 82, New Burlington; 83-4, Pennville; 85-7, Upland; 88-9, Perkinsville; 90-2, Fortville; 93-4, Summitville; 95, Westfield; 96-7, Wolcottville; 98, Lima; 99, New Paris; 00-1, Leesburg; 02, Topeka; 03, Roanoke; 04-7, Andrews; 08-9, Larwill; 10, Pt. Isabel; 11-15, R.
- Fisher, E. C.**—06, Sup. Hillisburg; 07, Hillisburg; 08-9, Kempton; 10-12, Alto; 13-15, Hobbs.
- Fisher, Fred. B.**—02-03, Kokomo, North St.; 04-05, Agra, India; 06, S.; 07-09, First Church, Boston; 10-11, Eastern Sec'y Board of Foreign Missions; 12-15, Gen. Sec'y Laymen's Missionary Movement (150 Fifth Ave., New York).
- Fischer, J. J.**—W. Va. Conf.: 98, Sup. 3 mos., Milton. Indiana Conf.: 99, Evangelist; N. W. Indiana Conf.: 00, Kingman; 01, Waveland; 02-03, Roachdale; 04, Crawfordsville Ct.; 05-6, Yountsville; 07-8, 10 mos. Jamestown; North Indiana Conf.: 09, 10 mos. Roann; 10-11, Cicero and Arcadia; 12-14, Converse; 15, North Manchester.
- Forbes, H. E.**—96-05, pastor in Friends Church. N. Indiana Conf.: 06-7, Center; 08-9, Perkinsville; 10-11, Alexandria Ct.; 12-14, Carmel; 15, Albany Ct.
- Foster, E. M.**—96-7, Spencerville; 98-00, Uniondale; 01-3, Coesse; 04-9, De Soto; 10-14, Sy.; 14, Sup. Hoagland, 6 mos.; 15, Coesse.
- Frech, T. F.**—85, Sup. Monroe; 86-7, Coesse; 88-9, Harlan; 90-1, Huntertown; 92, Wolcottville; 93, Albany Ct.; 94-5, Bristol; 96-7, Albion; 98-03, Butler; 04-6, Pendleton; 07, Wabash, Middle St.; 08-10, Anderson, Noble St.; 11, Eaton; 12-13, Goshen, St. Marks; 14-15, R.
- Fred, J. J.**—90-2, Spencerville; 93-4, Leo; 95, New Burlington; 96-7, Perkinsville; 98-9, Geneva; 00-1, Ossian; 02-5, Pennville; 06-7, Converse; 08-9, Wabash, Wabash St.; 10-13, Swayzee; 14-15, Fairmount.
- Freeland, W. B.**—93, Sup. Monroe; 94, Monroe and Bobo; 95-7, Larwill; 98-9, S.; 00-2, Farmland; 03-4, Fortville; 05-6, North Manchester; 07-9, Auburn; 10-11, Mishawaka; 12-14, Richmond District; 15, Kokomo, Grace Church.
- Fribley, F. E.**—11, Anderson, P. P. and Epworth; 12-14, S.; 15, Muncie, Avondale.
- Garrison, George E.**—Ind. Conf.: 07-09, Acton; 10-11, Waverly; 12-13, Osgood; 14, 6 mos. Osgood. N. Indiana Conf.: 6 mos. Galveston; 15, Galveston.
- Gillard, J. L.**—Cent. N. Y. Conf.: 86, 4 mos. Sup. Fairville, N. Y.; 89, Sup. 8 mos. Benton Center, N. Y.; 89-90, Shortsville and Manchester; 91-2, Pultneyville; 93-6, Middlesex and Vine Valley; 97-8, Burdette and Reynolds; 99-00, Newfield and Trumbull's; 01-3, McGrawsville and Blodgett's Mills; 04-11, Wolcott. N. Indiana Conf., 12-13, Elkhart, St. Paul; 14-15, Upland.
- Godwin, I. R.**—96-7, Roann; 98-01, Mexico; 02-4, Lynn; 05-8, Dublin; 09, Cicero; 10-12, Farmland; 13-14, Wolcottville; 15, Gas City.
- Gough, H. B.**—00, Central Illinois and transferred to W. Africa Conf.: 01, Cent. Ill.; 02-6, Cent. Ill.; 07, Prof. DePauw University; 08-15, N. Ind., Prof. DePauw University.
- Graham, J. C.**—04-5, Anderson, Park Place; 06-7, Muncie, Whitley and Daleville; 08-9, Richmond, Fifth St.; 10-13, Leesburg; 14-15, Goshen, St. Mark's.
- Graham, M. B.**—02-4, Sup. Amboy; 05-7, Kempton; 08-9, Russiaville; 10-11, Sharpsville; 12-14, Summitville; 15, Converse.

- Green, G. W.**—84-5, Sup. Eaton and New Corner; 86-7, Sup. Pennville; 88, Pennville; 89-91, McCordsville; 92-4, New Burlington; 95-6, Eaton; 97, S. 6 mos., Galveston 6 mos.; 98, Galveston 6 mos.; 99, Sy.; 00, 8 mos. Sup. Frankton; 01, Sup. Frankton; 02, Frankton; 03-4, Gaston; 05-6, Etna Green; 07, Etna Green 7 mos., resigned; 08-10, Sn. Sup. Fairview, Okla.; 11-14, Sy.; 15, Trans. Arkansas.
- Greenwalt, P. E.**—99, Sup. Charlestown Mission, W. Va. Conf. 02-3, Sup. North Webster, N. Ind. Conf.; 04-5, Sup. Elkhart Circuit; 06, Leesburg; 07-9, Saratoga; 10-14, Muncie, Madison St. Church; 15, Lapel.
- Griest, W. A.**—95, Prof. Taylor University; 96, Ceylon; 97-8, Coesse; 99, New Burlington; 00, 6 mos. New Burlington, 6 mos. Muncie, Normal City; 01-2, Muncie, Normal City; 03-6, Anderson, Indiana Ave.; 07-9, Pendleton; 10-14, Ft. Wayne, Simpson Church; 15, Logansport, Market St.
- Grimes, Joseph.**—Ind. Conf.: 09, Owensburg; 10-11, Prairie Creek; 12, Little York. N. Ind. Conf.: Sept. 13-14, Decatur Ct.; 15, Geneva Ct.
- Grose, G. R.**—New England Conf.: 96, Cherry Valley, Mass.; 97-00, Jamaica Plain, Mass.; 01-05, Newton, Mass.; 06-07, Lynn, Mass. Baltimore Conf.: 08-12, Baltimore, Grace; 12-15, President DePauw University.
- Gruber, J. W.**—Ind. Conf.: 06-7, New Washington; 08-9, Morgantown; 10-11, Merom; 12-13, Dugger; Sept. 14 North Ind. Conf.: Huntertown; 15, Huntertown.
- Guild, D. H.**—88-90, Philadelphia; 91, Sy.; 92-4, Marion, Grace Church-95-6, Kokomo, Markland Ave.; 97-01, Knightstown; 02, 6 mos. Knightstown, 6 mos. Warsaw; 03-7, Warsaw; 08-11, Wabash, First Church; 12-15, Ft. Wayne, First Church.
- Guild, T. M.**—N. W. Indiana Conf.: 79-80, Harmony; 81, S.; 82, Hillsboro; 83-4, Loc. N. Indiana Conf.: 85-7, Hagerstown; 88-9, Greentown; 90-1, Ligonier; 92-6, Elwood; 97-00, Auburn; 01-3, Huntington; 04-5, Marion, First Church; 06-11, Richmond District; 12-14, Peru; 15, Conf. Evangelist.
- Haines, J. M.**—87-8, Atwood; 89-90, Poneto; 91-3, Monroeville; 94-6, Churubusco; 97-01, Garrett; 02-5, Warren; 06-7, Logansport, Market St.; 08, Eaton (nominal) and Burket; Oct. 1, 09, Burket; 10, Conf. Evangelist; Nov. 15, 11, Montpelier; 12-14, North Manchester; 15, Sy.
- Hall, F. A.**—00, Sup. Hartford City Circuit; 01, Hartford City Circuit 5 mos., S. 7 mos.; 02-4, S.; (while in school, Sup. in N. W. Ind. Conf.; 02-4, Bridgeport and Ben Davis); 05-7 Alto; 08-12 Greentown; 13-15 Noblesville, First Church.
- Hallman, E. C.**—09, Sup. Millgrove; 10-12, Millgrove; 13, Lewisville; 14, Sy.; 15, Lynn.
- Hamilton, W. E.**—00-1, Sup. Ingalls; 02, Sup. Kempton; 03-4, Kempton; 05-6, New Waverly; 07-12, Santa Fe; 13-15, Windfall.
- Harbour, O. V. L.**—82-4, Mt. Etna; 85-7, Liberty Mills; 88-9, Perrysville; 90-1, Valentine; 92, Roann; 93-4, Lagro; 95-7, Russiaville; 98-00, Sheridan; 01-3, Converse; 04-6, Fairmount; 07, Anderson, Indiana Ave.; 08-9, Sharpsville; 10-11, Geneva; 12-15, R.
- Hardingham, M. L.**—Oregon Conf.: 97-01, Gresham; 02-3, Fairview; 04-5, Gresham. N. Indiana Conf.: 05-6, 6 mos. Philadelphia; 06-9, Parker; 10-11, Richmond, Fifth Street; 12, Cicero; 13-15, Arcadia.
- Hardy, W. B.**—North Dakota Conf.: 09, Sup. 6 mos. Bowdon; 09-10, Bowdon; 11, McKenzie, 18 mos.; 12-13, Douglas; 14, Underwood; 15, North Ind. Silver Lake, Nov. 1.

- Hargitt, V. B.**—Ind. Conf.: 01-2, Fairview; 03-4 Brooksbury; 05-7, Dillsboro; 08-10 S. (while at Drew Sup. 08-9 Wande Memorial, 10, Asbury); 11 Fairland; 12-14 Waldron Oct. 1.; 15 North Ind., Yorktown.
- Harlan, M. A.**—88-9, Williamsburg; 90-2, Middletown; 93-6, Logansport, Wheatland St.; 97-03, Portland; 04, Peru; 05-6, Auburn; 07-11, Field Agent Memorial Home; 12, Union City (nominal); 13-15, Sy.
- Harman, H. C.**—Sept. 1887, received on trial in ——— Conf.; Rock River Conf.: 1910-11, Chicago, Woodlawn Park; 12-13, Evanston, Ill. North Ind. Conf.: 14-15, Richmond, First Church.
- Harrison, W. H.**—09-10, Sims; 11-15, Marion, Ninth St.
- Harter, S. F.**—91, Sup. 6 mos., Ridgeville; 92-3, Sup. Trenton; 94, Sup. Kennard; 95, Kennard; 96-8, Philadelphia; 99-02, Williamsburg; 03-4 Ridgeville; 05-7, Poneto; 08-10, Mentone; 11-12, Windfall; 13-14, Russia-ville; 15, Waterloo.
- Hartman, Emory A.**—08, Sup. in Kansas Conf., 6 mos.; 09-10, Soldier, Trans. Mich. Conf.; 11, Parma; 12-13, Sy. N. Indiana Conf.; 14, Corunna; 15, Simms.
- Hasty, E. F.**—59, Cambridge City; 60, Cambridge City and Centerville; 61, Huntington; 62-3, Kendallville; 64, Warsaw; 65-6, Goshen; 67-8, Noblesville; 69-70, Marion; 71, Mishawaka; 72, Mishawaka 3 mos., Richmond, Central Church, 9 mos.; 73, Pendleton; 74-5, Knightstown; 76-7, Muncie; 78-81, Muncie District; 82-4, Elkhart; 85, Mishawaka; 86-9, Ligonier; 90-1, Tipton; 92-3, Union City; 94-8, Pendleton; 99-05, Gen. Sec. Preachers' Aid Society; 06-15, R.
- Hickman, F. S.**—11-12, Fremont; 13-15, S.
- Hile, C. A.**—05-6, Sims; 07-8, Philadelphia; 09-10, Burket; 11-14, Uniondale; 15, Howe.
- Hill, G. H.**—70-1, Bristol; 72-81, Kansas Conf. N. Indiana Conf.: 82, Mexico; 83-5, South Whitley; 86, Bourbon; 87-91, Huntington; 92-6, Muncie, High St.; 97-9, Richmond, Grace Church; 00-5, Richmond District; 06, Bluffton (nominal); 07, North Manchester; 08-15, R.
- Hill, T. M.**—02, Sup. Liberty Mills; 03-4, Burket; 05-7, Akron; 08-9, Pennville; 10, Pennville 2 mos., Ft. Wayne, Trinity, 10 mos.; 11-15, Ft. Wayne, Trinity.
- Hirsch, A. H.**—01, Upper Iowa Conf.: Sept., 09, N. Indiana Conf., Centerville; 10, Centerville; 11, S.; 12-14, Professor Ursinas College; 15, Sy.
- Hobbs, C. M.**—99, Sup. Wolf Lake; 00-1, Wolf Lake; 02-5, Swayzee; 06, Roanoke; 07, Roanoke 9 mos., Ft. Wayne, St. Paul, 3 mos.; 08-9, Ft. Wayne, St. Paul; 09, Dublin, Oct. 1st; 10-11, Dublin; 12-14, Albany Ct.; 15, Carmel.
- Hogan, W. E.**—Ind. Conf.: Sept. 06-7, Sup. Merom; 08, Sup. Newberry; 09-10, Washington. N. Ind. Conf.: 11-12, Valentine; 13-15, Inwood.
- Hollopeter, B. S.**—86-8, Poneto; 89-90, Monroeville; 91-3, Churubusco; 94-6, Selma; 97-9, Montpelier; 00-4, Noblesville; 05-6, Logansport, Broadway; 07-12, Wabash District; 13-15, Logansport District.
- Hollopeter, C. M.**—88-9, Geneva; 90-2, Coesse; 93-7, Roanoke; 98-9, Ossian; 00-1, Sharpsville; 02-5, Albany Circuit; 06, Gaston; 07-8, New Burlington; 09-11, Selma; 12-15, Monroeville.
- Hollopeter, W. M.**—00, Sup. Topeka, 7 mos.; 01-2, Wakarusa; 03-7, Avilla; 08-10, Wolcottville; 11, Bourbon; 12, Pennville; 13-14, Cambridge City; 15, Anderson, Noble St.
- Homer, H. A.**—09-10, S.; 11-12, Pt. Isabel; 13-15, Lagro.

- Hoover, A. C.**—08-9, Sup. New Waverly; 10, New Waverly 6 mos., S. 6 mos., Sup. Gilead; 11, Sup. Gilead; 12, Miami-Bennett's; 13, Geneva Ct.; 14-15, Hillisburg.
- Hornaday, B. F.**—W. Nebraska Conf.: 97, Sup. Kimball; 98, Kimball; 99, Grant; 00, Wallace, N. Indiana Conf.; 01-2, Shirley; 03, Carmel; 04-5, Hartford City Ct.; 06-8, Leo; 09-10, Poneto; 11-12, Etna Green; 13-15, Orland.
- Hubbarrt, G. F.**—05, Sup. Indianapolis, Riverside Park, Indiana Conf.; 06-7, Riverside Park, Indianapolis; 08-9, Advance; 10, North Judson 6 mos. N. Indiana Conf., March 9, 1911; 11-12, Waterloo; 13-15, Piercetown.
- Huddleston, Leroy.**—08, 6 mos. Sup. Fisher; 09, Sup. Ingalls; 10-11, Perkinsville; 12-13, Philadelphia; 14, Mathews; 15 Fountain City.
- Huffman, W. A.**—12, Sup. Terre Haute, Smith Park, 7 mos.; 13-14, Elkhart, Simpson Memorial; 15, S.
- Hughes, G. E.**—Ohio Conference: 06-7, Zanesville, Trinity; 07-9, McArthur; 09-11, Baltimore and Basil. Illinois Conference: 11, to Sept. 12, Middleton. North Indiana Conf.: 12-14, Andrews; 15, Akron.
- Hunt, C. A.**—04, Sup. Gaston Circuit; 05-6, Fisher; 07-9, Sy.; 10, Miss. Arizona; 11-15, Sy.
- Jacobs, L. G.**—09, Sup. Twelve Mile; 10-11, Twelve Mile; 12-13, Roann; 14-15, Denver.
- Johnson, F. P.**—04, Sup. Oak Grove Circuit; 05, Oak Grove Circuit; 06-7, Woodburn; 08, Hudson; 09-10, Hoagland; 11-13, Coesse; 14, Center; 15, Sy.
- Johnson, H. M.**—92, Valentine; 93, Piercetown; 94-5, Ft. Wayne, Trinity; 96, Fairmount; 97, Anderson, Indiana Ave.; 98-02, Sy.; 03-15, R.
- Johnson, T. J.**—93-6, Galveston; 97-00, Ft. Wayne, Simpson; 01-2, Gas City; 03-5, Union City; 06-9, Gen. Sec. P. A. S.; 10, Sy.; 11, Muncie-Whitley; 12, Sec. Home Circle Bible Study; 13-15, Muncie, Normal City.
- Jones, B. E.**—07-8, Ingalls; 09-11, Jolietville; 12-13, Alexandria Ct.; 14-15, Perkinsville.
- Jones, D. S.**—93-4, Macy; 95-6, Inwood; 97-8, Lagro; 99-00, Silver Lake; 01-3, Larwill; 04-5, Roanoke; 06, Piercetown; 07-8, Bourbon; 09-10, Topeka; 11-14, Anderson, Noble Street; 15, Muncie, Madison Street.
- Jones, E. L.**—93, Sup. Centerville; 95, Kitt Circuit; 96, Ingalls; 97, Yorktown; 98-9, Sup. Yorktown; 00-2, Yorktown; 03-6, Sy.; 07-8, Monroe; 09-10, Ossian; 11-15, Supt. Memorial Home.
- Jones, John**—Dakota Conf.: 89-94, Colman, First Church; 95-02, Dell Rapids. Vermont Conf.: 02-7, Lyndsville, Cushman Memorial; 08-14, Hardwick, Bethany; Sept. 14, N. Indiana, Yorktown; 15, Yorktown, 3 mos. Transferred to East Maine Conference.
- Jones, Richard.**—Wilmington Conf.: 72, Fruitland, Md.; 73, Gumboro, Del.; 74-6, Onancock, Va.; 77-8, Princess Anne, Md.; 79-81, Bridgeport, Del.; 82-4, Port Deposit, Md.; 85-7, Wilmington, Del.; Mt. Salem; 88-90, Odessa, Del.; 91, Seaford, Del.; 92-3, Sy. N. Indiana Conf.: 93-4, Anderson Circuit; 95, Perkinsville; 96-00, Lapel; 01-3, Lagrange; 04-5, Middletown; 06-8, Gas City; 09, Ft. Wayne, Simpson; 10-14, Knightstown; 15, Cambridge City.
- Keisling, G. W.**—W. Nebraska Conf.: Sup. 4 mos. Gandy; 99, Loomis; 00-1, Big Springs. N. Indiana Conf.: 02, Goldsmith; 03-4, Windfall; 05-8, Sy.; 09-11, Hudson; 12-13, Sims; 14, Larwill; 15, Sy.

- Kemper, F. M.**—92, Mt. Etna; 93-5, Marion Circuit; 96-9, Angola; 00-1, Richmond, Grace Church; 02-3, Wabash, First Church; 04, Wabash, First Church, 5 mos. Trans. to St. John's River Conf., Sept. 1, 04, Jacksonville, Fla.; 05, Jacksonville. N. Indiana Conf.: 06, Mishawaka; Sept. 1st, resigned; 07, Warsaw (nominal); 08-15, R.
- Kemper, L. W.**—08, Sup. York; 09, York; Sept. 10th, S. N. W. Ind. Conf.: 10, Carbon. N. Ind. Conf.: 12-14, South Milford; 15, Fremont.
- Kendall, B.**—04, Sup. Butler Circuit 6 mos.; 05, Corunna; 06-7, Valentine; 08-9, South Whitley; 10-13, Fairmount; 14-15, Dunkirk.
- Kennedy, E. H.**—In the Wesleyan Methodist Church: 94, 4 mos. Sup. Larwill; 94, Plymouth Mission; 95-6, Plymouth; 97-8, North Liberty; 99-03, Amboy; 04-5, New Santa Fe; 06-8, Carthage; 09-11, Mt. Etna. Sept. 12, N. Ind. Conf., M. E. Church, Sup. Macy; 13-15, Macy.
- King, C.**—74, Fremont; 75, Hamilton; 76-8, Lima; 79-81, Wolcottville; 82, Pendleton; 83-5, Garrett City; 86-7, Mishawaka; 88-9, Pierceton; 90-3, Hartford City; 94-7, Columbia City; 98, Alexandria; 99-00, Warsaw; 01-4, New Castle; 05-6, Dunkirk; 07-8, Geneva; 09-10, New Haven; 11-14, R. 13, Sup. New Haven 5 mos.; 14, Sup. New Haven; Deceased, Nov. 7, 15.
- Knox, L. E.**—83, Jerome; 84-5, Greentown; 86, Westfield; 87-90, Russia-ville; 91-3, Wawaka; 94-5, Wolcottville; 96-7, Bristol; 98, Ashley; 99-00, Cicero; 01, Logansport, Market St.; 02-3, Bourbon; 04-7, Albion; 08-10, Osceola; 11-12, Sy.; 12, Sup. Osceola; 13-15, Sy.
- Krider, L. M.**—85-7, Wabash Ct.; 88-9, Lagro; 90-1, Marion, Second Church; 92-3, Angola; 94-6, Portland; 97-8, Elwood; 99-00, Hartford City; 01-4, Auburn; 05-8, Noblesville, First Church; 09-11, Alexandria; 12, Gas City; 13-15, Greentown.
- Lacy, F. M.**—88-9, Anderson Circuit; 90-4, Perkinsville; 95-8, Fortville; 99-01, Cambridge City; 02-4, Ossian; 05-7, Summitville; 08-10, Eaton; 11-13, Dunkirk; 14-15, Swayzee.
- Lacy, H.**—91-2, Sup. Eaton; 93-4, Cadiz; 95-6, Williamsburg; 97-9, Ridgeville; 00-1, Lynn; 02-4, Mexico; 05-6, Denver; 07, Forest; 08-10, Wawaka; 11-12, Poneto; 13, Huntertown; 14-15, Portland Ct.
- Lampert, A. L.**—86-8, Orland; 89-90, Bristol; 91-4, Garrett; 95, Sy.; 96-11, Sn.; 11, Sup. Avilla 7 mos; 12-14, Avilla; 15, New Paris.
- Lash, W.**—66-7, New Corydon; 68, Deerfield; 69, Antioch; 70, Springfield; 71-2, Inwood; 73, Allen; 74-5, Harlan; 76-8, Coesse; 79, Roanoke; 80-2, Milford; 83, Osceola; 84, Elkhart Circuit; 85-1915, R. Deceased, Feb. 11, 1916.
- Laslie, R. T.**—Sup. Kentucky Conf., 98-9, Grays; 91 to Sept., Grays; 01-2, Grant; 03-4, Greentown. Trans. to Indiana Conf.: 04-5, Mauckport; 06-7, Pekin; 07-8, Newtonville. Trans. to N. Indiana Conf.: 09, Forest; 10-11, Milford and Clunette; 12, Orland; 13, Kennard; 14-15, R.
- Lawburgh, J. C.**—Ind. Conf.: 07, Grandview; 08, Asst. pastor Rockport 6 mos., Newburg 6 mos.; 09, Newburg; 10-13, Poseyville; N. Ind., 14-15, Churubusco.
- Leese, Ephraim**—Detroit Conf.: 10, Rogers City; 11, Wolverine; 12-14, S. (While in school, Sup. 13, Leicester, Mass.; 14, West Chelmsford, Mass.) Trans. N. Indiana; 15, Richland Chapel.
- Le Masters, F. A.**—06-8, Mexico; 09-12, Frankton; 13-15, Markle.
- Liddle, H. L.**—Ind. Conf.: 99-01, Sup. Manchester; 01-2, Versailles; 03-5, Hartford Ct.; 06-8, Kent; 09, S. N. Ind. Conf.: 10-11, Boxley; 12-14, Goldsmith; 15, Walton.

- Light, S.**—82-3, Nappanee; 84-5, Middlebury; 86-7, S.; 88, Bristol; 89, Knightstown; 90, Milwaukee, Wis., and Goshen, Fifth Ave.; 91-5, Warsaw; 96, Wabash; 97-00, Bluffton; 01-5, Elkhart; 06-8, Marion, First Church; 09-14, Goshen District; 15, Richmond District.
- Line, C. E.**—S. E. Indiana Conf.: 80-1, Delaware; 82-4, Flatrock; 85, Taylorville; 86-7, Irvington; 88-9, S. (Sup. Franklin 6 mos.); 89-90, North Vernon; 91-2, Moores Hill. N. W. Kansas Conf.: 92-7, Selina. Minnesota Conf.: 97, Mankato. N. Ind. Conf.: 98, Union City; 99-01, Alexandria; 02-3, Field Agt. DePauw University; 04-8, Portland; 09, Greenfield; 10-15, Muncie District.
- Loveless, W. E.**—02, Sup. Ingalls; 03-4, Sup. Shideler; 05, Sup. Woodburn; 06-7, Shirley; 08-10, Maxwell; 11-13, Wawaka; 14-15, Osceola.
- Lowther, A. W.**—West Virginia Conf.: 87-9, Letart and Leon. Cent. Ill. Conf.: 90-1, Deer Creek and Mackinaw; 92-3, Dana and Rutland; 94-5, London Mills and Hermon; 96-7, Knoxville; 98-01, Peoria; 02-4, Onarga, 05-9, Dwight; 10-12, Fairbury. Ind. Conf.: 13-14, Columbus. North Ind.: 15, Logansport, Broadway.
- Lutes, E. E.**—00, Sup. Liberty Mills; 01, Liberty Mills; 02-3, Akron; 04-5, Mt. Etna; 06-7, South Whitley; 08-11, Andrews; 11, Andrews 6 mos.; Jonesboro 6 mos.; 12-14, Jonesboro; 15, Westfield.
- Lutey, J. F.**—04, Sup. Goldsmith 6 mos.; 05, Sup. Goldsmith; 06, Goldsmith; 07-9, Denver; 10-12, Russiaville; 13-14, Selma; 15, Geneva.
- Magor, E. J.**—94-5, Ingalls; 96-9, Poneto; 00-1, Avilla; 02-5, Pierceton; 06-7, Swayzee; 08, Orland; 09, Westfield; 10, Westfield 6 mos.; in Wyoming, Miss., 6 mos.; 11-14, Wyoming, Miss.; 15, Miss., Salt Lake City.
- Mahin, M.**—41, Paoli; 42, Wilmington; 43, Patriot; 44, Versailles; 45, Perrysville; 46, South Bend; 47, Knightstown; 48-9, Crawfordsville; 50, Ross-ville 3 mos., Ft. Wayne, Berry St., 9 mos.; 51 Ft. Wayne, Berry St.; 52, Peru; 53, Logansport District; 54, Peru, First Church; 55, Sn.; 56, Knightstown; 57, Knightstown 6 mos., Richmond District 6 mos.; 58, Richmond District; 59, Loc.; 60, Atchison, Kas.; 61, Atchison, Kas., 3 mos.; Knightstown, Ind., 9 mos.; 62, Peru, Main St.; 63-5, New Castle; 66, Knightstown; 67-8, Logansport, Broadway; 69-72, Richmond District; 73-6, Anderson District; 77-9, Logansport, Broadway; 80-2, Huntington; 83-5, Spiceland; 86-8, Bluffton; 89-91, Richmond, Grace Church; 92-4, Tipton; 95-15, R.
- Marble, M. S.**—82, Sup. Lima and Van Buren from July 14; 83, Lewisville and Ogden; 84, Orland; 85-7, Albion; 88-91, North Manchester; 92-4, Ft. Wayne, Berry St.; 95-00, Kokomo District; 01, Wabash, First Church; 02-4, Richmond, Grace Church; 05-7, Upland; 08-11, Angola; 12, 2 mos. Montpelier, 10 mos. Logansport District; 13-15, Wabash District.
- Martin, G. W.**—96-9, Sup. Hartford City Circuit; 00-1, Sup. Anderson, Madison Ave.; 02, Sup. Gaston Circuit; 03, Sup. Muncie, Avondale; 04-6, Monroeville; 07-8, Ossian; 09, Conf. Evangelist; 10, Conf. Evangelist, Oct. 1st, Economy; 11-13, Economy; 14-15, Middlebury.
- Martin, O. T.**—N. W. Ind.: 06, Sup. Crawford; 07, Yountsville; 08, Wayne-town; 09, 10 (6 mos.), N. Eng. Conf., Topsfield, Mass.; N. Ind., 11-15, Mentone.
- Martin, W. W.**—92, Sup. Westfield; 93-5, Alto; 96, Alto 1 mo., Tipton 11 mos.; 97-8, Tipton; 99-00, Converse; 01-4, Ligonier; 05-8, Greenfield; 09-10, Bluffton; 11-15, Muncie, High St.
- Maupin, E. J.**—06-8, Jolietville; 09-12, New Burlington; 13-14, Leo; 15, Graybill.

- McCarty, W. E.**—59, Hartford City; 60, Jonesboro; 61, Cadiz; 62, Hagers-town; 63, Middletown; 64-5, Charlottesville; 66-7, Fortville; 68-70, Huntington; 71, Peru, Main St.; 72, Jonesboro, 6 mos.; 73-4, Angola; 75-7, Decatur; 78, Austin, Tex., Central College Ave. Church; 79, Wabash Circuit; 80, Pierceton; 81-2, Garrett; 83, Sy.; 84, Sn. (83-4, Sup. Allegan, Mich.); 85, Hometown; 86, Wawaka; 87-9, Sn.; 90, Windfall; 91, Sharpsville; 92, Westfield; 93-01, Sn., and in 98-00 Sup. Richmond, Third Church; 02, Leo; 03-4, Hoagland; 05-7, Portland Circuit; 08-15, R.
- McDaniel, J. W.**—72, Camden; 73-5, New Burlington; 76, Cadiz; 77, Eden; 78, Ridgeville; 79-81, Pennville; 82-4, Trenton; 85-6, Santa Fe; 87-9, Point Isabel; 90, Sy.; 91-15, R.
- McDonald, S.**—Michigan Conf. Sept., 1907. N. Ind. Conf. Sept. 13-14, Roanoke; 15, Trans. Detroit.
- McFarlane, H. E.**—97-04, Sup. Maine Conf.; 04-10, W. Nebraska Conf.; June, 10, N. Ind. Conf., Kempton; 11, Macy; 12-13, Richmond, Fifth; 14-15, R.
- McNary, J. H.**—S. Kansas Conf.: 89-90, Fontana; 91, Greeley; 92, Greeley 7 mos. Cincinnati Conf.: Sept. 1, 92-4, Blanchester; 95-6, Monroe; 97, Arcanum; 98-9, Goshen; 00-1, Bowersville; 02-3, Clarksville; 04, Clarksville 7 mos. N. Indiana Conf.: 05-7, Shideler; 08, Poneto; 09-10, Monroe; 11-15, R.
- McPheeters, W. E.**—08, Ind. Conf.; 14, Miami; 15, Sheridan.
- Miller, H. W.**—96-9, Minnesota Conf., Sup. Leiter Prairie. N. Indiana Conf.: 00, 7 mos. Sup. Van Buren; 01, Sup. Van Buren; 02-4, Van Buren; 05, Marion, Grace; 06-7, Churubusco; 08, LaFontaine; 09, Sweetser and Ninth St., Marion; 10-11, Albany Circuit; 12-13, Parker; 14, Charlottesville; 15, Trans. West Wisconsin.
- Miller, S. C.**—67, Portland; 68, Winchester; 69, Camden; 70, Marion Circuit; 71-2, Wolcottville; 73, Agent Ft. Wayne College; 74, New Waverly; 75, North Muncie; 76, Eaton; 77-97, Sy.; 98-15, R.
- Modlin, C. A.**—S. Ill. Conf.: 06, Sup. DuQuoin; 07, DuQuoin; 08, Carbon-dale, Grace; 09-10, Coffeen; 11, Hamburg. Sept. 12, N. Ind. Conf.; 12-13, Kempton; 14-15, Burket.
- Montgomery, C. W.**—12-15, Boxley.
- Morris, F. P.**—N. W. Indiana Conf.: 96, Brazil, Sup. Oxford. N. Indiana Conf.: 98-9, Kempton; 00, Arcadia; 01-2, S.; 03, Arcadia; 04-6, Muncie, Madison St.; 07-9, Dunkirk; 10-13, Newcastle; 14-15, Winchester.
- Morris, O. B.**—09-11, LaFontaine; 12-15, Wabash, Wabash St.
- Morrison, R. A.**—U. B. Church: 95-98, S.; 99, Miss. Africa; 00, S.; 01-2, Huntington, Cent. College Ch.; 03-8, Presiding Elder. White River Conf. Sept., 08, Sup. Hamilton 7 mos. N. Ind. Conf., 09-11, Hamilton; 12-13, Upland.; 14-15, Elkhart, St. Paul.
- Murr, J. L.**—N. W. Neb. Conf.: 93-4, Sup. Boxbutte; 95, Crookston; 96, Tilford, S. D.; 97-8, Beulah, Wyo. Ind. Conf.: 99-00, S.; 01, Sup. Cataract; 02-3, Sup. Bedford Ct. W. Neb. Conf.: 04, Danbury; 05-8, Upland; 09, Trenton. N. Ind. Conf.; 10, Roann; 11-12, DeSoto; 13-15, New Burlington.
- Murray, C. H.**—81, Sup. Geneva; 82, Geneva; 83, New Haven; 84, Markle; 85, Ft. Wayne, Trinity; 86, Elkhart Circuit; 87-9, Milford; 90-2, New Paris; 93, Wolcottville; 04-7, Osceola; 98-01, Albion; 02-4, Middlebury; 05-6, Waterloo; 07-9, Leesburg; 10, Muncie, Whitley and Daleville; 11-15, R.

- Murray, J. C.**—81, Sup. 7½ mos. Knightstown; 82-3, Knightstown; 84-5, Winchester; 86-04, Prof. Gammon Theological Seminary; 05, Cicero; 06-7, Ligonier; 08-9, Lagrange; 10, Dunkirk; 11, Yorktown 7 mos., Supt. G. O. Robinson Orphanage, Porto Rico; 12-15, Supt. P. R.
- Murray, W. E.**—87-8, Sheldon; 89, S.; 90-1, Perrysburg; 92-3, Middlebury; 94-6, Monroeville; 97-00, Hometown; 01, Hoagland; 02-5, Churubusco; 06-7, LaFontaine; 08-10, Van Buren; 11-12, Fortville; 13-14, Huntington Ct.; 15, Sy.
- Myers, G. H.**—N. W. Ind. Conf.: 91, Carpentersville; 92, Whitestown; 93-5, S. Central New York Conf.: 92, Sup. Eaton. New England Conf.: 94-5, Sup. Walpole. N. Indiana Conf.: 96, Anderson Circuit; 97-8, Gaston; 99-02, Fortville; 03-4, Upland; 05-7, Butler; 08-9, Montpelier; 10, Montpelier 7 mos.; Nov. 1st, Asst. Financial Secretary DePauw University; 11, Asst. F. S. DP. U.; 12-15, F. S. Ill. Wesleyan University.
- Myers, LeRoy.**—08, Sup. Center; 09-11, Center; 12-13, Amboy; 14, Richland; 15, Goldsmith.
- Naftzger, Earle.**—95, Sup. Anderson, Noble St.; 96-7, Centerville; 98-01, Charlottesville; 02-5, Logansport, Market St.; 06-8, Hartford City, Grace. 09-11, Puget Sound Conf., Bellingham, Trinity Ch. 12-13, Columbia River Conf., Spokane, Vincent Church. N. Ind. Conf.: 13-15, Wabash, First Church.
- Naftzger, L. J.**—Dec. 77-8, Sup. Middletown; 78, Sup. Kempton; 79-80, Kempton; 81-3, Bunker Hill; 84-6, Logansport, Market St.; 87-91, Lagrange; 92-6, Richmond, Grace Church; 97-00, Muncie, High St.; 01-3, Kokomo, Grace Church; 04-9, Muncie District; 10-12, Greenfield; 13-15, Union City.
- Neal, A. G.**—89-90, Alto; 91-6, Hagerstown; 97-9, Richmond, Fifth St.; 00-3, Angola; 04-8, Alexandria; 09-15, Warsaw.
- Neal, T. C.**—75-6, Elkhart Circuit; 77-8, Van Buren; 79-80, Sy.; 81, Nappanee; 82, Alexandria; 83, Farmland; 84-6, North Webster; 87-8, Inwood; 89-15, R.
- Newcombe, J. S.**—06, Sup. Oak Grove 6 mos.; 07-8, Hoagland; 09-12, Albion; 13-14, Sheridan; 15, Wabash, Middle St.
- Nickerson, H. S.**—02, Sup. Lebanon, Centenary Church, 4 mos., Cannellton 3 mos.; 03, Sup. Knightsville, Indiana Conf.; 04-6, Sup. Port Golden, New Jersey Conf.; 06, Ft. Wayne, St. Paul; 07, Ft. Wayne, St. Paul, 9 mos., Fairmount 3 mos.; 08-9, Fairmount; 10-11, Wabash, Wabash St.; 12-15, Angola.
- Norris, H. J.**—73-4, Marion Circuit; 75-6, Inwood; 77-8, Ft. Wayne, Centenary; 79-81, Auburn; 82-3, Goshen; 84-5, Dillon, Mont.; 86, Hartford City; 87-90, Noblesville; 91-5, Logansport, Broadway; 96-9, New Castle; 00-1, Ft. Wayne, Berry St.; 02-6, Winchester; 07, Lagrange; 08-11, Upland; 12-15, R. Deceased Feb. 14, 1916.
- Norris, S. C.**—89-90, Mexico; 89-92, Andrews; 93-7, Ossian; 98-02, Roanoke; 03-4, Frankton; 05-10, Macy; 11-15, R.
- Oborn, J. W.**—90, Kokomo Circuit; 91, Pendleton Circuit; 92, Anderson Circuit; 93, Anderson, Asst.; 94, Anderson, Noble St.; 95, Fairmount; 96-7, S.; 97, 6 mos. Anderson, Madison Ave.; 98, Anderson, Madison Ave.; 99-00, Gas City; 01-2, Dunkirk; 03-4, Nappanee; 05, Ligonier; 06-15, Conf. Evangelist.
- O'Connor, J. B.**—W. Wis.: 08, Sup. Strong's Prairie; 09, Sup. Valley Junc.; 10, Kendall; 11, Argyle, 9 mos., N. Indiana Conf., June 11, Galveston; 12-13, Saratoga; 14, Philadelphia; 15, Philadelphia, 6 mos., S. 6 mos.

- Osbun, G. F.**—99-00, Warren; 01-2, Burket; 03-5, Uniondale; 06-7, Boxley; 08-9, Alto; 10-12, Matthews; 13-15, Shideler.
- Overdeer, H. L.**—Illinois Conf.: 05, Waggoner; 06, Bluffs; 07, Bluffs, 1 mo. N. Indiana Conf.: Farmland 6 mos.; 08-9, Farmland; 10-12, Wabash, Middle St. Church; 13-14, Logansport, Market St.; 15, Ft. Wayne, Simpson St.
- Palmer, J. H.**—Brethren Church: 86, Pioneer, Ohio; 87-90, S.; 91-98, Evangelistic work. N. W. Ind. Conf.: 99, Kingman; 00-2, Colfax; 03-6, Covington; 07, Plymouth; 08 to April, 10, East Chicago. N. Indiana Conf.: 10-11, North Manchester; 12, Alexandria; 13-14, Frankton; 15, Albany.
- Park, H. W.**—Ind. Conf.: 02-6, Sup.; 06-7, Elizabethtown; 07-8, E. Columbus and Walesboro; 08, 6 mos. N. Indiana Conf.; 09-12, Mt. Etna; 13-14, Silver Lake; 15, Avilla.
- Parker, B. E.**—00, Sup. Ashley 10 mos.; 01, Sup. Ashley; 02, Ashley 4 mos.; 03, S. 8 mos., Sup. Orland 4 mos.; 04, Coesse; 05-7, Wakarusa; 08-9, Nappanee; 10-11, Hartford City; 12-13, Richmond, First; 14, Richmond, First, 6 mos.; Marion, First, 6 mos.; 15, Marion, First Church.
- Parr, W. D.**—78, Ft. Wayne, Third St.; 79-81, Westfield; 82-4, Cambridge City; 85-7, Waterloo; 88-92, Elkhart; 93-7, Kokomo, Mulberry St.; 98-00, Ft. Wayne, Wayne St.; 01, Kokomo District 9 mos., Asst. Sec. Bd. Ch. Ex. 3 mos.; 02-5, Asst. Sec. Bd. Ch. Ex.; 06-10, Kokomo, Grace (nominal); 11-15, Conf. Sec. Ch. Ex.
- Paschall, J. W.**—76-7, Bluffton; 78, Arcola; 79-80, Hamilton; 81-2, Corunna; 83-5, Wawaka; 86-7, Bristol; 88-90, Cambridge City; 91-2, Galveston; 93-4, Ft. Wayne, St. Paul; 95-6, Ft. Wayne, Simpson; 97, Greentown; 98, Bunker Hill; 99-01, Sn., Sup. Goshen, Fifth Ave., 8 mos.; 02, Goshen, Fifth Ave.; 03-15, R.
- Patterson, A. M.**—74, Albany; 75, Huntsville; 76, Trenton; 77-9, New Burlington; 80-2, Boxley; 83-4, Walton; 85-7, Sharpsville; 88-9, Charlottesville; 90, Cadiz; 91-2, Macy; 93-4, Mexico; 95-6, North Webster; 97, Warsaw Circuit; 98-9, Santa Fe; 00-15, R.
- Patterson, J. A.**—91-2, N. W. Indiana Conf. N. Indiana Conf.: 93-5, Denver; 96-8, Bourbon; 99-00, Wabash, Wabash St.; 01, Ft. Wayne, Simpson; 02-4, Garrett; 05, Lapel; 06-8, Middletown to Nov. 1st; Jan. 1, 09, Westfield; 09, Ridgeville; 10-12, Albany; 13-15, Eaton.
- Peck, W.**—67, Alto; 68-9, Boxley; 70-1, Jerome; 72, Westfield; 73, Carmel; 74-5, Alexandria; 75-7, Walton; 78-9, New Waverly; 80-1, Trenton; 82, Middletown; 83-4, Williamsburg; 85-7, Philadelphia; 88, Hagerstown; 89-91, Spiceland; 92-3, Yorktown; 94-15, R.
- Pearce, M. R.**—83-7, W. Nebraska Conf. N. Indiana Conf.: 88-91, Corunna; 92-6, Leesburg; 97-9, Mentone; 00, Sy.; 01, Cadiz; 02-4, Fountain City; 05-6, Charlottesville; 07, Middlebury; 08-10, Bristol; 11, Saratoga; 12, Galveston; 13-14, Hagerstown; 15, McCordsville.
- Pearce, W. H.**—67-9, Jonesboro; 70-2, Dunkirk; 73-5, Eaton; 76-8, Selma; 79-80, Fountain City; 81-6, Sy.; 87, Selma; 88-90, Sy.; 91-4, Farmland; 95-9, Middletown; 00-2, Dublin; 03-4, Richmond, Third Church; 05-6, Hagerstown; 07, Sn. (Sup. Hagerstown); 08-9, Sn. (Sup. Muncie, Whitley, and Daleville); 10, Sn. (Sup. De Soto); 11-15, R.
- Pell, M.**—92, Sup. Milford and Syracuse; 93, Milford; 94-8, Gas City; 99-00, Fairmount; 01-4, Lapel; 05-7, Van Buren; 08, Marion, Ninth St. and Home Park; 09-10, Fortville; 11-15, Kendallville.
- Pfeifer, L. P.**—96, 6 mos. Sup. Kennard; 98-00, Spiceland; 01-3, Philadelphia; 04-5, Parker; 06, Sy.; 07-8, Salamonina; 09-12, Sy.; 11, Sup. Salamonina 6 mos.; 13, Sy.; 14, R.; 15, Centerville.

- Phillips, John.**—Indiana Conf.: 91, Marengo; 92-4, Francisco; 95-6, New Albany. Kentucky Conf.: 97-8, Louisville; 99, Sy.; 00, Woodsonville. Cincinnati Conf.: 01, Branch Hill; 02, Felicity; 03-4, Peebles; 05-7, Moscow. N. Indiana Conf.: 08-10, Shirley; 11-12, Spiceland; 13-15, Monroe.
- Pittenger, M. C.**—90, Sup. Yorktown 9 mos.; 91, Yorktown; 92-4, Spiceland; 95, Cadiz; 96, Saratoga; 97-8, Williamsburg; 99, Philadelphia; 00-1, Sy.; 01, Sup. Hudson; 02, Hudson; 03-5, Leo; 06-7, Coesse; 08-15, R.
- Pittenger, W. E.**—08, S.; 09, Anderson, Park Place; 10, Anderson, Park Place 6 mos., Westfield 6 mos.; 11, Westfield; 12, Muncie, Normal City; 13-15, S.
- Polhemus, P.**—01, Sup. Gilman; 02-3, Gilman; 04-6, Orland; 07-8, Harlan; 09-10, Etna Green; 11-13, Osceola; 14-15, Economy.
- Powell, H. C.**—Indiana Conf.: 09-10, Shelburn; 11-13, Cannelton; 14, Jeffersonville, Park Church, 6 mos., N. Indiana, April, Bobo; 15, Bobo.
- Powell, J. O.**—06-7, Sup. N. W. Ind. Conf. 08, Ind. Conf.: 08-9, Cynthiana; 09-10, Blue Grass; 11-13, Scottsburg. N. Indiana Conf., July, 13-15, Ossian.
- Powell, P. E.**—92, Kennard; 93-5, Lynn; 96-8, Anderson, Noble St.; 99, Anderson, Noble St., 5 mos., Peru 7 mos.; 00, Peru; 01-4, Greenfield; 05-7, Garrett; 08-9, Tipton; 10-15, Holy Grail work.
- Powell, S.**—87-8, Elkhart Circuit; 89-91, Orland; 92-7, S.; 98-9, Ft. Wayne, Trinity; 00-1, Winchester; 02-6, Redkey; 07, Angola; 08, Warsaw; 09, Decatur; 10, Decatur 9½ mos., Jan. 15th Asst. Financial Secretary DePauw University; 11, Asst. Financial Secretary DePauw University; 12-14, Asst. Financial Secretary Hospital; 15, Nappanee.
- Prell, H. T.**—Upper Iowa Conf.: 08-13, Calamus. North Ind. Conf.: 13, Anderson, First Church, Asst. pastor 5½ mos., Anderson, Indiana Ave., 6½ mos.; 14-15, Andersons, Indiana Ave.
- Preston, A. S.**—87, Corunna; 88, S.; 89-90, Wolcottville; 91, Albion; 92-3, Kendallville; 94-5, Knightstown; 96-9, Goshen, First Church; 00, Kokomo, Grace Church; 01-5, Ft. Wayne, Wayne St.; 06-7, Wabash, First Church; 08, Goshen (nominal); 09-13, Winchester; 14-15, Portland.
- Price, I. E.**—Ohio Conf.: 86, Sup. Blue Creek. Cincinnati Conf.: 87, Sup. Blanchester; 88-9, South Lebanon; 90-1, Decatur; 92-4, Laurel; 95-6, S.; 97-9, Owensville; 00-1, Manchester; 02, Manchester 7 mos. N. Indiana Conf.: 03-4, Trenton; 05, Trenton 8 mos., New Burlington 4 mos.; 06, New Burlington; 07, New Burlington 9 mos. and Nevada Mission, Trucker, 3 mos.; 08-14, Miss. Nevada; 15, Miss. Cedarville, Cal.
- Radcliffe J. F.**—90-3, Jonesboro; 94-7, Sharpsville; 98-00, Greentown; 01-2, Upland; 03-5, Knightstown; 06-9, Union City; 10-11, Richmond, First Church; 12-15, Elwood.
- Reed, R. S.**—77-8, Sup. Bremen Circuit; 79-81, Webster; 81-2, Larwill; 83, Roann; 84-5, Fountain City; 86-7, Charlottesville; 88-90, Dublin and Lewisville; 91-2, Alto; 93-4, Westfield; 95, New Britton; 96-8, Muncie Circuit; 99-01, Millgrove; 02, Uniondale; 03-4, Corunna; 05, York, resigned; 06-12, Sn. (10, Sup. Anderson Park, Place; 11, Sn. and Sup. Hartford City Ct. 6 mos.); 13-15, R.
- Reeves, J. M. B.**—93-4, New Waverly; 95-7, Santa Fe; 98-9, Jolietville; 00, Cadiz; 01, Spiceland; 02-3, Parker; 04, Gilman; 05-6, Matthews; 07, Warsaw Circuit; 08-9, Lima; 10-14, Sy; 15, R.

- Reeves, L.**—86-8, Mentone; 89-91, Fremont; 02-6, Harlan; 97-01, Swayzee; 02-5, Russiaville; 06-10, Sy.; 11-15, R.
- Reichelderfer, F. A.**—02-7, Fremont; 08-10, Churubusco; 11-12, Topeka; 13, Topeka 5 mos., S. 7 mos.; 14, S. Deceased Oct. 13, 1915.
- Richardson, J. H.**—12-14, Fountain City; 15, Modoc.
- Riley, E. S.**—07-8, Vernon, Indiana Conf.: 09-11, S. N. Indiana Conf.: 11-12, South Whitley; 13-14, Wabash, Middle St.; 15, Frankton.
- Robinson, F. A.**—69, Monroeville; 70-2, Decatur; 73-5, Antioch; 76-7, Mexico; 78-9, Bourbon; 80-2, South Whitley; 83, Mexico; 84, Andrews; 85, Sy.; 86-7, Roanoke; 88-90, Sy.; 91-3, Selma; 94-15, R.
- Rogers, R. W.**—Indiana Conf.: 07-8, Sup. Memphis; 09-10, Georgetown, N. E. Conf.; 11, N. E. Conf., Gleasondale; 13, N. H. Conf., Contoocook, 8 mos.; North Ind. Conf., 14-15, Forest.
- Ruley, J. A.**—76-7, Middlebrook, Va.; 78-9, Rockbridge, Va.; 80, Floyd, Va.; 81-2, Highland, Va. N. Indiana Conf.: 83-4, Anderson Circuit; 85-6, Muncie Circuit; 87-9, Albany; 90-1, New Burlington; 92, South Muncie; 93-4, Eaton; 95-6, Summitville; 97, Upland; 98-9, Macy; 00-1, Pennville; 02-4, Charlottesville; 05-6, Fountain City; 07-8, Gaston; 09-12, Sn.; 13, Noblesville Ct.; 14-15, Anderson, Park Place.
- Runkle, J. H.**—99-04, Marion, Grace Church; 05-7, Jonesboro; 08-10, Yorktown; 11-14, Red Key; 15, Knightstown.
- Rush, J. M.**—74, Rushville; 75-6, New Corydon; 77-8, Hamilton; 79, Middlebury; 80-1, Wilmington, Kas.; 82, Akron; 83, Palestine; 84-5, Roann; 86, Sy.; 87-9, North Webster; 90, Mentone; 91, Silver Lake; 92-7, Sn.; 98, Majenica; 99, Andrews; 00-1, Sn.; 02-6, Sy.; 07-15, R.
- Sand, R. M.**—North West Ind. Conf.: 08-9, Sup. Lakeville; 10, Sup. South Bend, Stull Memorial; 11-12, Kirklin; 13-14, Michigantown. Trans. North Ind.; 15, West Middleton.
- Sawyer, B.**—75-8, Garrett; 79-80, Geneva; 81, Arcola; 82, New Corner; 83-5, Dunkirk; 86, Warren; 87-8, Macy; 89, Churubusco; 90-1, LaFontaine; 92-4, Williamsburg; 95-8, Goshen, Fifth Ave.; 99, Ashley; 00-2, Ft. Wayne, St. Paul; 03, Spencerville, 1 mo.; 04-6, Sy.; 07-15, R.
- Scurrah, F. O.**—Presbyterian Church: 06-7, Perry, Iowa; 08, Evart, Mich.; 09, Evangelist; 10-12, Tipton, Ind. M. E. Church, N. Indiana Conf.: 13-14, Bunker Hill. Resigned Oct. 1, 1914; 15, Withdrawn.
- Semans, E. L.**—70-84, West Wisconsin Conf. N. Indiana Conf.: 85-7, Portland; 88-92, Peru; 93-5, Goshen, First Church; 96-00, Logansport, Broadway; 01-6, Wabash Dist.; 07-8, Winchester; 09-15, R.
- Semans, R. L.**—94-5, Valentine; 96-8, S.; 99-00, Galveston; 01, Greentown; 02-3, Markle; 04-5, Converse; 06-7, Ft. Wayne, Trinity; 08-10, Kendallville; 11-12, Decatur; 13-15, Goshen, First Church.
- Sevits, L. A.**—86, Atwood; 87, Roann; 88-9, Whitewater; 99, Williamsburg 6 mos.; 90-03, Michigan Conf. St. Johns River Conf.: 04, Miami 8 mos. N. Indiana Conf.: Yorktown 6 mos.; 05, Yorktown; 06-9, Albany Circuit; 10, Uniondale; 11-13, Van Buren; 14, Hamilton; 15, Selma.
- Shattuck, M. E.**—Detroit Conf. 09-10, Sup. Addison and Devils Lake, Michigan Conf. 11 Horton, 12-13, S. 14, Sup. Brainard Congregational Ch; Chicago, 15, S. and North Ind. Conf. Miami.
- Sheldon, L. J.**—11, Marion, Highland Ave.; 12-14, Churubusco Ct.; 15, Twelve Mile.

- Shaw, R. S.**—07, Sup. New Castle Ct.; 08, Sup. Cadiz; 09, Trenton; 10, Trenton 5 mos., S. 7 mos.; 11, S.; 10-11, 18 mos. Sup. Terre Haute, Grace. N. W. Ind. Conf.: 12, Fillmore, 5 mos. N. Ind. Conf., 13-14, Howe; 15, Uniondale.
- Shoemaker, G. W.**—96, Yorktown; 97-8, S.; 99, Sup. Perkinsville 7 mos.; 00, Perkinsville; 01-2, Muncie, Avondale and Whitley; 03-5, Albany; 06-8, Kokomo, Markland Ave.; 09, Sy.; 10-11, Gas City; 12-14, Columbia City; 15, La Grange.
- Singer, A.**—07, Sup. Liberty Mills; 08, Liberty Mills; 09-11, Inwood; 12-13, Ridgeville; 14-15, Warren.
- Singer, I. W.**—83, Arcola; 84-5, Harlan; 86-7, Markle; 88-90, Silver Lake; 91-2, Mexico; 93-5, Bourbon; 96-7, Macy; 98-02, Anderson, Indiana Ave.; 03, Muncie, Madison St.; 04-5, Westfield; 06, Anderson, Madison Ave.; 07-8, Economy; 09, Lynn; 10, Saratoga; 11-12, Pierceton; 13-15, R.
- Smith, C. H.**—02, Atlanta 6 mos.; 03-5, S.; 06-8, Roann; 09-12, Markle; 13-14, Greenfield; 15, Peru.
- Smith, R. H.**—73, Kirklin; 74, Anderson Circuit; 75, Fortville; 76, Hamilton; 77, Geneva; 78, Decatur Circuit; 79, Markle; 80-1, New Corner; 82, North Muncie; 83-5, New Burlington; 86, Farmland; 87-8, Churubusco; 89-90, Larwill; 91-2, Lagro; 93-4, Inwood; 95-7, Mexico; 98, Roann; 99-01, Akron; 02-3, New Burlington; 04-5, Cadiz; 06, Hartford City Circuit; 07, Windfall; 08, Forest (nominal); 09-15, R.
- Smith, William F.**—Indiana Conf.: 94-6, Delaware; 96-9, in school; 99-01, North Vernon; 01-4, Shelbyville; 04-7, New Albany, Centenary; 07-11, Connersville; 12, Connersville 7 mos. N. Ind. Conf.: 12-15, Huntington.
- Speckien, F. J.**—94, Middlebury; 95-6, Corunna; 97-9, S. (while in school), 98-9, Sup. York House, Rock River Conf.: 01, Etna Green; 02-3, Spiceland; 04-5, Jolietville; 06-7, Cadiz; 08-9, Williamsburg; 10-11, Mexico; 12-13 Kokomo, North St.; 14-15, Sy.
- Sprague, J. A.**—99-01, Fremont; 02-5, Monroe; 06-8, Markle; 09-15, Kokomo, Markland Ave.
- Stelle, J. R.**—Southern Ill. Conf.: 05, Sup. Tamaroa, 4 mos., Glen Carbon, 3 mos.; 06, Ind. Conf. Sup. Glendale 7 mos., Sup. Dugger 5 mos; 07-8, Jasonville; 09, Shoals; 10-13, North Vincennes, Oct., 1914, North Ind., Poneto; 15, Poneto.
- Stephens, P. S.**—55, Mexico; 56, Middletown; 57, Windsor; 58, Huntsville; 59, Greensboro and Charlottesville; 60, Normandy; 61, Kirklin; 62, Paw Paw; 63, Xenia; 64-5, Miami; 66, Akron; 67-8, Coesse; 69, Deerfield; 70, Loc.; 73-4, Sup. Saratoga; 75, Sup. Winchester Circuit; readmitted 76; 77, Loc.; 80-1, Sup. Portland Circuit; 86-8, Sup. Pendleton Circuit; 09, readmitted, and 10-15, R.
- Stephenson, D. T.**—93, Indiana Conf., Bedford Circuit; 94, S. Kansas Conf.; 96, Rock River Conf.; 95-7, Hermosa; 97-03, Chicago Heights; 03-4, Chicago, 49th Ave.; 04-7, Chicago, Adams St.; 07-10, Chicago, West Pullman. Oct., 10, N. Indiana Conf., Goshen, First Church; 11-12, Goshen, First Church; 13-15, Decatur.
- Stewart, W. S.**—71-3, Kansas Conf.; 74-5, S. Kansas Conf.; 76-8, S. N. Indiana Conf.; 79-81, Elkhart Circuit; 82-4, Albion; 85-7, Butler; 88, Bourbon; 89-91, Columbia City; 92-4, North Manchester; 95, Anderson, Noble St.; 96, Albany; 97-9, Logansport, Market St.; 00, Sy.; 01-15, R.
- Stoakes, R. W.**—07, Sup. Bluffton Circuit 6 mos.; 08, Bluffton Circuit; 09-11, Orland; 12-15, Bourbon.

- Stone, F. M.**—82, Spiceland; 83, Valentine and Ontario; 84-5, Bristol; 86-8, S.; 89, Leesburg; 90-2, Butler; 93, Kokomo, Markland Ave.; 94-6, Noblesville; 97-8, Huntington; 99-00, Greenfield; 01, Warsaw; 02, Warsaw 6 mos.; 93-4, Dunkirk; 05-7, Endowment Sec. Woman's College; 08-15, Endowment Sec. American University.
- Stookey, S. B.**—04, Sup. Larwill 6 mos.; 05, Sup. Larwill; 06, Larwill; 07-8 Lagro; 09-10, Spiceland; 11-13, Churubusco; 14-15; Wakarusa.
- Stright, M. F.**—80, Wisconsin Conf.; 81-7, N. W. Ind. Conf. N. Ind. Conf.: 88-9, Xenia; 90-1, Elwood; 92-3, Sharpsville; 94-7, Lima; 98-9, Osceola; 00-2, New Paris; 03, Leesburg; 04-5, Wawaka; 06, Mt. Etna; 07, Larwill; 08-9, Avilla; 10, Valentine; 11, Hoagland; 12, Butler Ct.; 13-15, R.
- Stutsman, J. O.**—96, Sup. Alto 11 mos.; 97-8, Goldsmith; 99-00, Gilman; 01, Perkinsville; 02-3, Selma; 04-5, LaFontaine; 06, Monroe; 08, S.; 09-14, Agt. Prison Aid; 15, Loc., own request.
- Sumwalt, J. A.**—93-4, Corunna; 95-6, Orland; 97-9, Topeka; 00, Topeka 5 mos.; 01-2, S.; 03-5, Goshen, Fifth Ave.; 06-7, Sheridan; 08-9, Elwood; 10, Elwood 6 mos., Logansport, Broadway, 6 mos.; 11-14, Logansport, Broadway; 15, Trans. Indiana.
- Swadener, M.**—80-1, Palestine; 82-3, Andrews; 84-5, North Manchester; 86-90, Marion, First Church; 91-2, Conf. Evangelist, Cincinnati Conf.; 93-9, Supt. City Church Ex. and Miss. Soc. for Cincinnati. N. Indiana Conf.: 00-3, Marion, First Church; 04-5, Richmond, First Church; 06-9, Kokomo, Grace; 10, Lecturer in Taylor University; 11-14, Asst. Supt. Indiana Anti-Saloon League; 15, Cor. Sec. American Reform Federation.
- Sweeney, C. B.**—04, Sup. York; 05-6, Bobo; 07-8, Spencerville; 09, Portland Circuit; 10, Sy. and Sept. 1st Sup. Ironton; 11-13, Modoc; 14-15, Parker.
- Sweet, W. W.**—Philadelphia Conf.: 06-7, Philadelphia, Willow Grove; 08-10, Langhorne; 11-13, Prof. Hist. Ohio Wesleyan University; North Indiana Conf., Sept., 13, Prof. History DePauw University; 14-15, Prof. History.
- Taylor, E. H.**—Kansas Conf.: 90-3, Leonardsville; 94-6, Corning; Wyo, Miss., 97, Carbon; 98, Wheatland; 99-01, Sheridan. Ind. Conf.: 02-3, Mitchell; 04, Cory; 05-7, Lawrence; 07-11 Sy. (08, 4 mos Sup. Middletown; 09, Sup. Hillisburg; 10, Sup. Spartanburg; 11, Sup. Philadelphia); 12, Trans. N. Ind. Conf., Perkinsville; 13, Perkinsville; 14, Modoc; 15, Charlottesville.
- Terflinger, J. V.**—85-6, Windfall; 87, Jolietville; 88-9, Eaton; 90, Pennville; 91, New Corner; 92-00, Sy.; 01-15, R.
- Thornburg, F. F.**—97, Sup. Cadiz; 98-9, Cadiz; 00-2, Hagerstown; 03-5, Farmland; 06-9, Knightstown; 10-15, Auburn.
- Thornburg, M. M.**—Sup. 11 New Haven; 12, S. and Sup. Northwest Ind. Fillmore and Bainbridge, 5 mo. 12, Sup. Stanton and Reelsville; 13-Carbon and Lena, 14. Admitted North Ind. Conf., 8-15, Sup. Carbon.
- Thomas, Chester B.**—Dak. Conf.: 09, Sup. Cresbard; 10, Colton 10 mos.; 11 (Aug. trans. N. Ind.), Corunna; 12, Corunna; 13-15, Gilead.
- Tillman, J. W.**—92, Perrysburg; 93-4, North Webster; 95, Macy; 96-8, LaFontaine; 99-00, Larwill; 01-3, Silver Lake; 04-5, Roann; 06, Cicero 5 mos.; 07-15, R.
- Tinkham, C.**—91-3, New Haven; 94-6, Hoagland; 97-8, Monroeville; 99-01, Churubusco; 02-4, Bunker Hill; 05-7, Sharpsville; 08-10, Lapel; 11-15, Garrett.

- Trabue, O. A.**—W. Nebraska Conf.: Mar. to Sept., 96, Sup. Maywood; 96, Maywood; 97 to Mar., 00, Lodgepole and Chappell. N. Indiana Conf.: 00-2, Santa Fe; 03-5, Greentown; 06-7, Lapel; 08-9, Columbia City; 10-13, Tipton; 14-15, Newcastle.
- Travis, C. G.**—N. W. Indiana Conf.: 95, Asst. Frankfort; 96-7, Summit Grove; 98-9, S., Sup. Waveland; 00-1, St. Paul, Indianapolis; 02-6, South Bend, Grace Church. Sept., 06, to N. Indiana Conf., Mishawaka; 07-8, Mishawaka; 09-15, Ft. Wayne, Wayne St.
- Trippeer, E. E.**—96, Kempton; 97, Galveston 4 mos., Portland Circuit 6 mos.; 98-00, Portland Circuit; 01-2, Richmond, Third Church; 03-4, Economy; 05-7, Ridgeville; 08-9, Summitville; 10-12, Pendleton; 13-15, Hartford City, Grace.
- Turner, A. A.**—90-2, Point Isabel; 93-4, Windfall; 95, Center; 96-7, Valentine; 98-01, Milford; 02-5, Bristol; 06-7, Osceola; 08-9, Bashor; 10-12, Elkhart Circuit; 13-15, Benton.
- Ulmer, L. F.**—Ind. Conf.: 09-10, Sup. Newtonville; 11, Newtonville; 12-14, Marengo; 15, Marengo, 6 mos. North Ind.: 15, Williamsburg, 6 mos.
- Valentine, J. C.**—Received from U. B. Church: 09, Sup. Decatur Circuit; 10, Decatur Circuit; 11, Bluffton Circuit; 12-13, Portland Ct.; 14, Geneva; 15, Spencerville.
- Vawter, C. M.**—Indiana Conf.: 05-6, Delaware; 07, Brooksbury; 07-9, Batesville; 10-13, S. (While in school Sup., 10, Mechanic; 11-13, Hampton, N. J.) North Indiana: 14, Kempton; 15, Roanoke.
- Wade, C. U.**—80, Sup. Roann; 81-2, Roann; 83-5, Bourbon; 86, South Whitley 7 mos.; Muncie 5 mos.; 87-91, Muncie; 92-6, Bluffton; 97, Wabash; 98-03, Muncie District; 04-9, Ft. Wayne District; 10, Logansport, Broadway, 6 mos.; Oct. 1st, Financial Secretary DePauw University; 11-15, Financial Secretary DePauw University.
- Wade, R. J.**—94, Ft. Wayne, Sup. Simpson 6 mos.; 95-7, S. (While in school Sup. in N. W. Ind. Conf., 95-6, Flackville and Marion Park); 07, Sup. Arcadia; 98-9, Arcadia; 00-2, Nappanee; 03-5, Kendallville; 06-9, Richmond, First Church; 10-14, Elkhart, Trinity; 15, Goshen Dist.
- Walker, W. F.**—68, Sup. Leo; 69, Ft. Wayne, Centenary (Simpson); 70-1, Winchester; 72-3, Peru, St. Paul Church; 74, Miss. to Foo-Chou, China; 75, Peking, Asbury; 76, Peking, Asbury and Tsan-Hua; 77-9, Southern City, Peking, and Tsun-Hua; 82-3, on furlough in U. S.; 84, Peking, Asbury; 85-7, Tientsin, Wesley Chapel; 88-92, Pres. Elder, Tientsin District; 93, on furlough; 94-7, Peking District, N. China Conf.; 98-9, in U. S.; 00-1, Tsun-Hua District; 02-3, Tientsin District; 04-5, Peking, Chien-Men and Shun-Chin-Men; 06, in U. S.; 08, Loc.; 09, N. Indiana Conf.; Sn.; 10-15, R.
- Walter, P. H.**—01, Sup. Ceylon 10 mos.; 02, Sup. York; 03, York; 04-6, Hudson; 07, Bobo; 08, Portland Circuit; 09-10, Coesse; 11-13, Woodburn; 14-15, Jolietville.
- Walters, J. W.**—Kentucky Conf.: 91, Scottsville; 92, Leitchfield; 93, Vine Grove; 93-6, S. N. Indiana Conf.; 97-9, Van Buren; 00, Van Buren 5 mos., Wabash, Middle St., 7 mos.; 01-2, Mentone; 03-4, Dublin and Lewisville; 05-6, Economy; 07-8, Anderson, Grace; 09-11, Elkhart, St. Paul; 12, Hartford City; 13-14, Gas City; 15, Kempton.
- Walts, J. K.**—76, Dublin and Lewisville; 77-8, Lincoln; 79-81, Lima; 82, Waterloo; 83-5, Ft. Wayne, Berry St.; 86-7, Warsaw; 88, Richmond, Grace Church; 89-91, Greenfield; 92-4, Winchester; 95-6, Auburn; 97-01, Logansport, Wheatland St.; 02, Ft. Wayne, Berry St.; 03-4, First Church (Berry St.); 05-6, Angola; 07-10, Redkey; 11-15, R.

- Weaver, A. L.**—91-3, S.; 94, Waterloo; 95-6, Wakarusa; 97-8, Orland; 99-00 Hamilton; 01-3, Valentine; 04-6, Inwood; 07, Sy.; 09-12, Syracuse; 13-14, Akron; 15, Jonesboro.
- Webster, Hubert.**—06-07, Sup. McCordsville; 08, McCordsville; 09, Noblesville Ct.; 10, Anderson, Grace Church; 11, Anderson, Grace Church, 5 mos., S. 7 mos.; 12-15, Supt. Grounds and Bldgs., DP. U.
- Wehrly, R. H.**—12, Sup. Middletown, 6 mos.; 13, Middletown; 14-15, Ridgeville.
- Welch, J. W.**—51-2, Enterprise; 53, Allen; 54-5, Auburn; 56-7, Benton; 58-73, Sn.; 74-6, Auburn; 77, Pierceton; 78-81, Warsaw District; 82, Anderson; 83, Agt. DePauw University; 84-5, Greenfield; 86-8, Winchester; 89, Agt. Ft. Wayne College; 90-1, Portland; 92, Sy.; 93, Ft. Wayne, Simpson; 94-5, Hudson and Ashley; 96-7, Arcadia; 98-00, Sy.; 01-15, R.
- Wells, David.**—95, Sup. Windfall; 96, Windfall; 97-9, Alto; 00-2, Poneto; 03, Ft. Wayne, Trinity; 04-6, Geneva; 07-8, Muncie, Madison St.; 09, Marion, Home Park and Highland Ave.; 10-15, Marion, Grace Church.
- Westhafer, E. B.**—East Ohio Conf.: 88-9, Moorfield. N. Indiana Conf.: 90, Markle; 91-5, Avilla; 96, Hudson and Ashley; 97, Marion, Ninth St.; 98-9, Wolcottville; 00, Kempton; 01-2, Windfall; 03-4, Shirley; 05, Richmond, Third Church; 06, Centerville; 07-15, Conf. Evangelist.
- Wiant, W. W.**—08, Sup. Warren Circuit; 09, Warren Circuit; 10-12, Lagro; 13-15, Fortville.
- Wickersham, E. J.**—11-12, McCordsville; 13, McCordsville 5 mos., S. 7 mos.; 14-15, S.
- White, C. E.**—80, Elwood; 81-2, Russiaville; 83-4, Sharpsville; 85-7, Sheridan; 88-90, Selma; 91-2, Fishersburg; 93-5, Dunkirk; 96, Knightstown; 97-9, Kokomo, Markland Ave.; 00-2, Ft. Wayne, Trinity; 03-5, Gas City; 06-7, Kendallville; 08-10, Ligonier; 11-12, Lapel; 13-14, Albany; 15, Summitville.
- White, J. C.**—90-1, Sheldon; 92-6, Upland; 97-01, Summitville; 02, Montpelier; 03-6, Decatur; 07-9, Logansport, Broadway; 10-14, Kokomo, Grace Church; 15, Elkhart, Trinity.
- Wilkinson, C. H.**—67, Sup. Ft. Wayne, Simpson; 68, Ft. Wayne, Simpson; 69, Decatur; 70, New Corydon; 71-3, Lagro; 74-6, Albion; 77, Elkhart Circuit; 78-9, Bristol; 80-2, Butler; 83, Lima and Van Buren; 84-6, Wolcottville; 87-8, Ft. Wayne, Simpson; 89, Galveston; 90-3, Converse; 94-7, Sheridan; 98-00, Inwood; 01, Pierceton; 02, Avilla; 03-6, New Paris; 07-9, Carmel; 10-11, Noblesville Ct.; 12-15, R.
- Williams, D. V.**—87, Sup. Valentine 7 mos.; 88-9, Valentine; 90-2, Inwood; 93-7, S. (while in school, Sup. in N. W. Indiana Conf.; 92-4, Harmony; 95-7, Clayton and Cartersburg); 97-9, Selma; 00-3, Kokomo, Markland Ave.; 04-7, Eaton; 08-10, Garrett; 11-12, Noblesville, First Church; 13-15, Alexandria, First Church.
- Williams, J. E.**—Central Illinois Conf.: 80, Maquon; 81-2, North Henderson; 83-5, Kirkwood; 86, Knoxville; 87-9, Sy.; 90, Oquawka; 91-3, Sy. Puget Sound Conf.: 94, Chehalis; 95-8, Vancouver; 99-03, Chehalis District; 04-6, Pres. Univ. Puget Sound; 07-8, Bellingham, Trinity; 09, Bellingham, Trinity, to March 1. N. Indiana Conf.: 09, Hartford City, Grace, 1 mo.; 09, Hartford City, Grace; 10-12, Union City; 13-15, Pendleton.
- Wimer, F. A.**—11, Sup. Kempton; 12, Kempton, 6 mos. and Sup. Fishkill, N. Y., 5 mos.; 13-14, S. and Sup. Bullville, N. Y.

- Wischmeier, A. C.**—Sup. in Neb. Conf.; 10, Prairie Home; 11, Ceresco and Spring Creek; 12, Ceresco and Spring Creek; 13-14, S.; (While in school, Sup. 13-14, West Abingdon, Mass.); 15, North Ind., Hagerstown.
- Woodruff, J. C.**—03, Sup. Hartford City Circuit; 04, Blaine Circuit; 05, Coesse; 06-8, North Webster; 09-11, Goshen, St. Mark; 12, Eaton; 13-14, Lapel; 15, Wolcottville.
- Wooton, A. S.**—76, Anderson Circuit; 77-8, Russiaville; 79-80, Logansport, Wheatland St.; 81-3, Tipton; 84, Pierceton; 85-7, Peru; 88-90, New Castle; 91-4, Auburn; 95, Kendallville; 96, Nappanee; 97, Mishawaka; 98-01, North Manchester; 02-3, Fairmount; 04, Angola; 05, Sheridan; 06-7, Greentown; 08-15, R.
- Work, G. B.**—72, Alexandria; 73-4, North Muncie; 75-6, Ridgeville; 77, Angola; 78-80, New Paris; 81-2, Leesburg; 83, Bunker Hill; 84-6, Sy. (while Sy., Sup. Mexico, 86, 10 mos.); 87-8, Mexico; 89-92, Decatur; 93-4, Alexandria; 95, Garrett; 96-00, Dunkirk; 01-7, Wabash, Wabash St.; 08-15, Warren.
- Wright, E. E.**—94, Bippus; 95, Wabash Circuit; 96-7, S.; 98-9, Sup. Kennard; 00-2, Trenton; 03-5, Warren Circuit; 06-9, Silver Lake; 10-12, Larwill; 13, Santa Fe; 14-15, Coesse.
- Wyant, J. K.**—Methodist Protestant Church, Indiana Conf., 96-03; N. W. Indiana Conf. M. E. Church: 04-6, Richland Center; 07-9, Bringham; 10, 6 mos., Ambia. North Indiana Conf.: 11-12, Forest; 13-14, Valentine; 15, Tippecanoe.
- Yeomans, C. G.**—09-11, Roanoke; 12-15, LaFontaine.
- Young, O. B.**—Kan. Conf.: 07-8, Manchester; 09, Minn. Conf., Ruthton; 10, Colorado Conf., Bayfield; 11, Ind. Conf., Gosport; 12, Sellersburg; 13, Milltown; 14, Milltown, 8 mos.; May, 1915, North Ind., Matthews.
- Zechiel, S. I.**—94, Evan. Assn.; 94, Logansport; 95-7, Markle; 98, Louisville, Ky.; 99-00, Elkhart, South Side; 01-2, Decatur; 03-4, Kendallville; 05-6, Wolcottville; 07-8, Newton, Kas.; 09, M. E. Church, S. W. Kansas Conf.: 09-10, Florence, Kan.; 11 to Aug., 13, Mitchell. N. Ind. Conf. Sept. 15, 13-15, Harlan.
- Zerbe, J. W.**—02, Sup. Hartford City Ct. 6 mos.; 03, Sup. Ingalls; 04-6, Ingalls; 07-9, Fountain City; 10-14, Williamsburg; 15, Williamsburg, 6 mos.; Saratoga, 6 mos.

PROBATIONERS FOR 1915.

- Barker, E. D.**—12, Noblesville Ct.; 13-14, Ingalls.
Black, G. H.—14, Amboy; 15, S.
Buckner, W. F.—11-14, New Paris; 15, Andrews.
Chapman, F. W.—15, Sept. 15, Goshen Ct.
Chastain, A. E.—11, Roann; 12-13, Jolietville; 14, Alexandria Ct.; 15, Alexandria Ct.; Sept., 15, Trans. Ind. Conf.
Clear, V. L.—13, Sup. Goshen Ct.; 14, Goshen Ct.; 15, S. Milford.
Corn, I. S.—13-15, S.
Denbo, Jesse.—Ind. Conf., 13, trans. N. Ind. Conf., Warsaw Ct.: 14-15, Wawaka.
Detweiler, R. R.—15, Corunna.
Haddock, T. S.—12, Sup. Salamonia; 13, Salamonia; 14-15, Mill Grove.
Hochstedler, J. O.—11, Bobo, 6 mos.; 12-13, Bobo; 14-15, S.
Imler, E. D.—12-13, Marion, Highland Ave.; 14-15, S.
Jeffras, C. W.—10-11, Ft. Wayne, St. Paul; 11, Ft. Wayne, St. Paul, 5 mos., S. 7 mos.; 13-15, S.
Jenkin, W. H.—10-12, Hagerstown; 13-14, Cicero.
Jones, J. I.—09-15, Miss. Japan.
Jordan, J. M.—14-15, S.
Kenna, A. H.—08, Sup. Richmond, Third Church; 09, Richmond, Third Church; 10, S.; 11, Deerfield; 12, Deerfield 6 mos., S. 6 mos.; 13, Deerfield; 14-15, S.
Lewis, B. W.—13-14, Sup. Anderson, Grace; 15, Anderson, Grace.
Love, A. K.—14, Sup. Woodburn; 15, Woodburn.
Markin, L. E.—Indiana Conf.: 12, Sup. Westfield; 13, trans. N. Ind. Conf., Westfield; 14-15, Middletown. Resigned Dec., 1915.
Marsh, C. L.—07, Sup. Butler Ct.; 08, Sup. Bobo; 09, Bobo; 10-12, S.
Miller, C. S.—13, Sup. Deerfield, 6 mos.; 14, Sup. Deerfield; 15, S.
Outland, M. A.—13, S. 14, Discontinued at his own request.
Patten, A. V.—12-13, Huntington Ct.; 14-15, Point Isabel.
Pfeiffer, Julius.—Ind. Conf.: 15, Troy. North Ind. Conf., Dec. 1, Alexandria Ct.
Phillips, J. S.—New England Conf.: 13, Sup. Walpole; 15, North Ind. Conf., Farnland.
Roahrig, W.—15, Salamonia.
Robins, F. J.—14, Marion, Highland Ave.; 15, Larwill, 5 mos., S. 7 mos.
Shipley, F. A.—11, Anderson, Indiana Ave., 9 mos., S. 3 mos.; 12-14, S.; 15, Trans. Wisconsin.
Stone, L. W.—15, S.
Stone, R. H.—15, S.
Thompson, K. R.—11, Sims; 12-13, Decatur Ct.; 14-15, S.
Wengatz, J. C.—09, McCordsville; 10-15, Miss. W. Cent. Africa.
White, A. F.—12, Burket; 13-15, South Whitley.
Wickersham, E.—11-12, McCordsville; 13, McCordsville 5 mos., S. 7 mos.; 14-15, S.
Winslow, L. O.—14-15, Liberty Mills.
Young, F. S.—11-15, S.

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FORT WAYNE DISTRICT.—STATISTICIAN'S REPORT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	NAME OF PASTOR.	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT.										SUNDAY SCHOOLS.			BAPTISMS.				
		Pastor.			District Super. En'ts.		Bishops.		Conference Claimants.		Total Paid for Ministerial Support.	Total Deficiency.	Sunday Schools.	Officers and Teachers.	Total Enrollment in all Departments.	Adults Baptized.	Children Baptized.	Baptized Children Under Instruction.	
		Total Claim, Including House Rent.	Total Paid, Including House Rent.	Rental Value of Parsonage.	Deficiency.	Claim.	Paid.	Claim.	Paid.	Claim.									Paid.
FORT WAYNE DISTRICT.		H. S. Nickerson.	\$1600	\$1600	\$300		\$93	\$93	\$24	\$145	\$1802	1	28	328	35	10	10		
Angola	F. F. Thornburg.	2300	2300	300		164	164	38	38	250	2452	1	44	768	21	12			
Auburn	W. T. Arnold.	2500	2500	300		186	186	48	48	335	3069	1	75	1025	50	25	67		
Bluffton	E. A. McClintock.	800	741		\$59	48	43	12	10	70	58	4	42	281	19	2	4		
Bluffton Circuit	Geo. L. Conway.	1200	1200	150		85	85	19	19	115	1419	4	30	410	48	5			
Bobo	E. E. Wright.	900	900	100		174	174	40	40	275	1056	4	60	353	13	10			
Coele	D. T. Stephenson.	2600	2600	400		55	55	16	16	85	3089	1	48	717	9				
Decatur	E. J. Stephens.	700	700			51	51	15	15	85	851	1	46	379	5	9	5		
Decatur Circuit	D. H. Guild.	2500	2500	500		184	184	43	43	305	3082	1	66	908	17	15	20		
Ft. Wayne: First Church.	H. L. Overder.	2200	2200	400		134	134	30	30	175	2539	1	44	775	37	33	12		
Simpson	F. H. Creneau.	1400	1400	300		90	90	22	22	140	1652	1	36	420	18	10	36		
St. Paul	T. M. Hill.	1500	1500	300		116	116	26	26	170	1812	1	46	886	33	33			
Trinity	C. C. Travis.	3000	3000	500		184	184	48	48	310	3542	1	55	856	30	9	24		
Wayne Street.	J. M. Stewart.	825	825			44	44	12	12	60	941	5	53	347	44	14	13		
Ft. Wayne Circuit.	L. W. Kemper.	1400	1400	200		80	80	20	20	120	1620	2	30	362	43	3	3		
Fremont	Charles Metts.	600	500		100	36	36	10	5	50	566	4	54	300	20	4			
Garett	C. Tinkham.	1800	1800	200		120	120	30	20	120	2125	1	27	546	17	12	40		
Geneva	J. F. Lutey.	1200	1200	150		74	74	20	20	120	1414	1	23	325	5	6	16		
Geneva Circuit.	Jos. Grimes.	800	766		34	50	50	12	12	75	868	5	44	350	7		1		
Hamilton	L. G. Carnes.	1100	1100	100		72	72	20	20	120	1312	2	35	435	30				
Harlan	S. I. Zechel.	1050	1050	150		65	65	17	17	110	1242	3	46	428	7		2		
Headland	E. M. Foster.	920	920	120		60	60	16	16	90	1086	3	42	290	10				
Hudson and Ashley	D. A. J. Brown.	1100	1100	100		72	72	18	18	110	1300	3	49	639	30	19			
Hunttown	J. W. Gruber.	1200	1200	300		90	90	22	22	115	1427	4	52	810	49	19			
Leno	E. J. Mann.	1150	1150	150		70	70	18	18	112	1350	4	76	519	21	9			
Monroe	R. Phillips.	1300	1300	300		68	68	17	17	112	1497	1	28	335	8	15	20		
Monroeville	C. M. Hollopeter.	1150	1150	150		72	72	20	20	115	1357	3	45	356	9	10			
Montpelier	J. O. Bills.	1500	1500	300		80	80	22	22	130	1732	1	35	395	109	11			
New Haven	H. C. Powell.	850	850	150		46	46	14	14	70	980	1	27	267	5				
Ossian	B. F. Hornaday.	1350	1350	150		80	80	21	21	124	1575	3	41	419	44	13	13		
Pennville	J. O. Powell.	1700	1700	200		115	115	24	24	170	1922	3	35	650	40	12			
Poneto	E. M. Dunbar.	1400	1400	200		74	74	18	18	122	1614	1	43	483	76	26	18		
Portland	J. R. Stelle.	1200	1200	200		77	77	21	21	122	1420	3	60	432	6	2	2		
Portland Circuit	A. S. Preston.	2100	2100	300		140	140	38	38	245	2523	4	63	836	30	2	10		
Spencerville	H. Lacy.	1150	1150	150		72	72	20	20	115	1357	4	65	565	3	6			
Woodburn	J. C. Valentine.	1000	1000	100		50	50	12	12	75	1137	4	50	300	3				
York	A. K. Love.	920	920	120		56	56	15	15	80	1071	4	64	457	12	21	17		
York	J. R. Elson.	800	800	100		48	48	12	12	70	930	3	24	134	6				
Total		\$52765	\$52572	\$7440	\$193	\$3375	\$3370	\$850	\$843	\$5150	\$61635	94	1704	19076	967	374	333		

NAME OF CHARGE.	CHURCH MEMBERSHIP.				EPWORTH LEAGUE.		CHURCH PROPERTY.						GENERAL CONF. EXPENSES.	
	PROBATIONERS.	FULL MEMBERS.			Senior Members.....	Junior Members.....	Churches.....	Estimated Value.....	Parsonages.....	Estimated Value.....	Paid for Buildings and Improvements on Churches and Parsonages.....	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages.....	Present Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages.....	Current Expenses: Sexton, Fuel, Light, Etc..
		Enrolled During Year	Now on Roll....	Members on Roll										
NAME OF PASTOR.														
FORT WAYNE DISTRICT.														
H. S. Nickerson.....	45	23	342	50		3	40	1	\$21000	1	\$5000	\$283	\$900	\$700
F. F. Thornburg.....	18	35	827	16		9	75	1	30000	2	5500		550	890
W. T. Bluffton.....	17	21	1000			4	65	1	30000	1	5000			1650
E. A. McClintock.....	48	26	162	16		5	22	4	10800	1	165	165		117
Geo. L. Conway.....	54	3	433			1	110	4	16000	1	1400	175		250
Bobo.....	18	8	205			1	30	4	12000	1	1500	50	123	200
Joese.....	13	1	799			6	100	1	25000	1	5000	120		1269
Decatur.....	27	27	284			1	50	4	14500		49			166
Decatur Circuit.....	28	21	1070	6		5	38	2	50000	1	8000	495		1820
Pt. Wayne: First Church.....	60	14	715	27		4	210	1	50000	1	5000	150		1500
Simpson.....	82	75	468	6		5	134	71	10000	1	3500	765		1077
St. Paul.....	87	61	720	17		4	107	1	13000	1	200	600		485
Trinity.....	58	69	720	17		3	74	200	1	50000	1	900	200	2350
Wayne Street.....	14	10	892	20		13	125	1	7500	1	10000	176		65
Ft. Wayne Circuit.....	89	52	243	7		1	78	2	10000	1	3000	280	70	380
Fremont.....	61	60	283	15		1	20	4	9000		700			155
Geneva.....	26	12	150			9	84	1	34000	1	2500	6000		475
Geneva Circuit.....	13	18	524			7	105	1	17000	1	2000	10	550	250
Hamilton.....	21	10	254	21		4	60	1	12000		60	125		150
Harlan.....	5	7	196	9		4	40	30	1	1000	2951	50		300
Hoagland.....	40	1	328	6		5	30	1	12500	1	2500	250		285
Hudson and Ashley.....	12	8	261	15		3	40	1	18500	1	1600	95		300
Huntersdown.....	24	25	307	17		5	30	3	15000	1	2000	380		400
Leo.....	43	1	766			1	55	1	38000	1	3000	380		245
Monroe.....	19	14	256	11		7	33	4	20000	1	2500	7000		300
Monroeville.....	7	4	210	40		2	30	1	8000	1	5000	450	2100	130
Montreher.....	17	23	259	14		4	45	3	19300	1	3000	530	175	260
New Haven.....	44	1	46	192		5	37	1	25000	1	5000	3500		400
Oreland.....	130	3	389	16		3	62	47	10000	1	1500	250		250
Ossian.....	41	1	370	9		1	110	85	3	12000	1	185		446
Pennville.....	50	10	500	38		2	20	50	3	38000	1	7000	5000	375
Poneto.....	100	18	323	22		5	72	3	10050	1	3100	225	600	215
Portland Circuit.....	10	10	610	20		6	20	1	21000	1	3500	3000		1300
Portland.....	40	18	273	10		3	60	4	50000	1	2500	400	700	275
Spencerville.....	10	28	250	10		6	25	4	20000	1	1500	100	300	210
Wauburn.....	33	17	181	23		3	34	28	4	11000	1	127	175	220
York.....	6							3	10500	1	800	263		86
Total.....	1293	705	15853	528	38	171	2257	1183	\$790150	34	\$110400	\$20140	\$24972	\$19346
														\$81
														\$214

GOSHEN DISTRICT.—STATISTICIAN'S REPORT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	NAME OF PASTOR.	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT.										SUNDAY SCHOOLS.		BAPTISMS.			
		Pastor.		District Super. Enrs.		Bishops.		Conference Claimants.		Total Deficiency	Total Paid for Ministerial Support	Total Enrollment in all Departments	Officers and Teachers.	Sunday Schools	Adults Baptized	Children Baptized	Baptized Children Under Instruction
		Total Claim, Including House Rent.	Total Paid, Including House Rent.	Rental Value of Parsonage.	Deficiency.	Claim.	Paid.	Claim.	Paid.								
GOSHEN DISTRICT.																	
Albion	Robert J. Burns	\$1400	\$1400	\$200		\$70	\$70	\$14	\$85	\$1569		18	1	1	3	5	8
Avila	Harvey W. Park	1100	1100	100		64	64	16	84	1264		32	2	2	3	5	
Benton	A. A. Turner	800	800	100		60	60	12	80	952		20	20	20	2	2	8
Bourbon	R. W. Stokes	1350	1350	150		78	78	22	107	1557		25	25	25	9	24	38
Bristol	Dale C. Beatty	1150	1150	150		68	68	18	90	1326		1	1	1	1	1	
Butler	A. H. Backus	1650	1650	250		96	96	24	124	1894		1	1	1	20	280	8
Chunetta	William H. Menough	700	700			32	32	10	50	792		3	3	3	3	5	8
Coruna	R. R. Detweiler	806	806	96		48	48	10	58	1012		3	3	3	7	12	76
Elkhart, Trinity	John C. White	2700	2700	500		180	180	60	460	3300		1	1	1	47	827	9
St. Paul	Rufus A. Morrison	2200	2200	400		80	80	12	68	2360		1	1	1	28	385	10
Simpson Memorial	Karl H. Carlson	1000	1000			40	40	7	42	1089		1	1	1	17	205	7
Elkhart Circuit	W. W. Dragoon	750	750			40	40	7	45	842		3	3	3	8	5	5
Evna Green	Edwin Dickson	1400	1400	100		80	80	20	112	1612		3	3	3	86	476	22
Poster Chapel	J. S. Cain	200	200			12	12	10	22	244		1	1	1	8	53	7
Goshen: First Church	R. L. Semans	2300	2300	300		160	160	50	50	270	\$280	1	1	1	45	475	30
St. Mark's	J. C. Graham	1150	1150	150		68	68	10	70	1288		4	4	4	25	180	4
Goshen Circuit	F. W. Chapman	725	725			45	45	12	47	829	\$36	5	5	5	60	477	7
Howe	Conde A. Hile	1350	1350	150		70	70	17	115	1510		2	2	2	35	469	21
Inwood	W. E. Hogan	1300	1300	100		78	78	15	114	1507		1	1	1	40	456	20
Kendallville	Millard Pell	1640	1640	240		96	96	32	170	1938		3	3	3	36	208	18
Kimmel	G. E. Whitten	1000	1000	100		72	72	12	81	1165		3	3	3	34	339	8
La Grange	Chas. W. Shoemaker	1450	1450	250		96	96	34	185	1765		1	1	1	28	239	24
Lesburg	J. W. Bowen	1150	1150	150		68	68	14	76	1308		1	1	1	20	255	1
Lizton	Chas. L. DeBow	1400	1400	200		80	80	18	113	1611		2	2	2	36	293	4
Middlebury	Geo. W. Martin	1250	1250	150		70	70	16	113	1449		1	1	1	77	1384	61
Mishawaka	Loren M. Edwards	3200	3200	500		190	190	65	555	4010		2	2	2	46	399	11
Nappanee	Sherman Powell	1750	1750	250		96	96	24	148	2018		2	2	2	46	399	11
New Paris	A. L. Lampert	1100	1100	100		80	80	20	113	1313		2	2	2	46	399	11
North Webster	W. T. Daly	1100	1100	100		72	72	18	114	1364		3	3	3	63	476	11
Oscola	William E. Loveless	1200	1200	120		72	72	12	113	1403		2	2	2	22	205	7
Pierceton	Geo. F. Hubbard	1020	1020	120		68	68	16	100	1294		4	4	4	50	450	15
South Milford	V. L. Clear	1100	1100	100		68	68	14	94	1276		1	1	1	19	169	1
Syracuse	Chas. A. Cloud	900	900	100		60	60	14	60	1034		3	3	3	80	313	40
Tipton	J. K. Wyant	1128	1128	78		64	64	14	90	1296		4	4	4	18	223	3
Topaka	H. Boase	1100	1100	100	\$37	76	76	18	100	1294	45	5	5	5	56	406	
Valentine	Frank S. Burns	863	863	100		60	57	15	14	102	98	1	1	1	23	189	12
Warsaw	S. B. Stookey	1100	1100	100		70	70	16	85	1271		1	1	1	104	944	10
Warsaw Circuit	A. G. Neal	2300	2300	300		166	166	60	450	2976		3	3	3	47	232	2
Warsaw Circuit	James H. Royer	700	700			42	42	10	67	819		3	3	3	47	232	2
Watertown	S. F. Harter	1100	1012	100	88	70	60	15	95	1173	107	4	4	4	63	431	1
Wawaka	Jesse Denbo	700	700	100		48	40	10	60	767	51	2	2	2	25	140	
Wolcottville	J. Chas. Woodruff	1200	1200	100		70	70	18	114	1364	38	3	3	3	37	12	3
Total		\$53909	\$53484	\$6204	\$125	\$3223	\$3202	\$837	\$5235	\$62627	\$277	82	1584	14986	413	160	450

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NAME OF CHARGE.	CHURCH MEMBERSHIP.				EPWORTH LEAGUE.		CHURCH PROPERTY.						GENERAL CONF. EXPENSES.					
	PROBATIONERS.	FULL MEMBERS.	Deaths During Year.		Senior Members.....	Junior Members.....	Churches.....	Estimated Value.....	Parsonages.....	Estimated Value.....	Paid for Buildings and Improvements on Churches and Parsonages.....	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages.....	Present Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages.....	Current Expenses: Sexton, Fuel, Light, Etc..	Apportioned for the Quadrennium.....	Paid This Year.....	Balance Due for the Quadrennium.....	
			Local Preachers.	Non-Resident Members.....														
NAME OF PASTOR.																		
GOSHEN DISTRICT.																		
Albion.....	4	10	200	1	2	20	1	\$10000	1	\$1500	\$220	\$144	\$196	\$225	\$8	\$8		
Avilla.....	2	11	205	1	3	20	1	6000	1	1500	80	5600	9000	200	6	6		
Benton.....	2	16	167	4	3	45	1	20000	1	2000	298	2000	2000	400	150	125		
Bourbon.....	7	25	301	4	3	40	1	5000	1	3000	35	230	300	400	8	8		
Bristol.....	7	1	240	24	2	20	1	12000	1	3500	500	1346	375	12	6	6		
Butler.....	8	8	250	20	6	30	1	7500	1	1000	100	100	125	150	1	1		
Chunette.....			106		1		3	3400	1	7000			1400	2469	50	50		
Coruna.....	5	163	14	2	2	70	1	47000	1	5000	590	859	950	395	1	1		
Elkhart: Trinity.....	36	68	1118	27	14	160	37	45000	1	6000			1750	96	1	1		
St. Paul.....	14	56	330	40	2	40	38	19500	1	1800	8185	50	7000	500	12	6		
Simpson Memorial.....			126	1	3	35	4	3400	1	3000	20		50	50				
Elkhart Circuit.....			141		4	52	45	20000	1	2000	1300	100		1200	30	4		
Etna Green.....	52	45	295	12	1	30	20	7000	1	2000	25			110				
Postor Chapel.....	15	5	40	1	14	30	20	10200	1	2700	400		150	354				
Goshen: First Church.....	4	46	562	40	1	40	30	15000	1	1500	200		275	790	15	11		
St. Mark's.....	2	220	8	1	2	59		12500	1	2500		500	100	280	12	3		
Goshen Circuit.....	5	1	318	12	4	4		20000	1	700	125		400	400	10	10		
Howe.....	9	460			3	41		14000	1	5000	100	60	325	200	8	8		
Inwood.....	11	25	410	30	7	98	24	11800	1	3200	100		425	9	9	3		
Kendallville.....	35	226	5	5	9	38	52	16500	1	5000	22000		11000	808	74			
Kimmel.....	11	7	400	28	1	100	40	35300	1	4000	415	200	270	495		8	8	
La Grange.....	38	10	195	13	2	81		2500	2	2500	150	200	270	300	8	4		
Leesburg.....	14	23	276		2	61		13000	1	1500	245		400	400	10	4		
Ligonier.....	17	10	330	10	1	40		8400	1	1500	70		168	8	2	2		
Middlebury.....	115	56	1800	6	4	34		4000	1	1000	225	200	100	300	6	1		
Mishawaka.....	24	17	329	3	1			12500	1	1500	20	175	900	175	6	3		
Nappanee.....	8	4	248	3	1	45		6000	1	1500	870		195	195	1	1		
New Paris.....	1	3	323	2	3	32	18	5500	1	1500			244	244	10	10		
North Webster.....	5	3	246	10	6	45		4000	1	1500	40		175	175	10	10		
Peecola.....	25	6	236	2	5	45		6500	1	1200	190		680	163	8	8		
Porter.....	14	14	101	12	1	120		9000	1	2000	25574		36000	1125	34	1		
South Milford.....	4	5	192	6	3	35		75000	1	5000	30	100	150	85				
Syracuse.....	10	27	238	5	1	27		4000	1	800	8000		1100	200	2	2		
Tipppecanoe.....	7	120	5	1	4	35		18000	1	1000	100		948	195	6	6		
Topeka.....	9	12	200	5	1	27		17000	1	1500	5105			200	10	10		
Valentine.....																		
Warsaw.....	19	14	171	4	6	45												
Warsaw Circuit.....	30	10	1085	20	1	120												
Warsaw.....	10	27	238	5	1	35												
Warsaw.....	7	120	5	1	4	27												
Warsaw.....	9	12	200	5	1	27												
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LOGANSPOUT DISTRICT.—STATISTICIAN'S REPORT.

NAME OF CHARGE.		NAME OF PASTOR.				MINISTERIAL SUPPORT.				SUNDAY SCHOOLS.				DAFTINESS.									
		Pastor.		District Super Enrs.		Bishops.		Conference Claimants.		Total Paid for Ministerial Support.		Total Deficiency		Sunday Schools.		Officers and Teachers.		Adults Baptized.		Children Baptized.		Baptized Children Under Instruction	
		Total Claim, Including House Rent.	Total Paid, Including House Rent.	Rental Value of Parsonage.	Deficiency	Claim.	Paid.	Claim.	Paid.	Claim.	Paid.												
LOGANSPORT DISTRICT.																							
Akron.	G. E. Hughes	\$1150	\$1150	\$150		\$600	\$600	\$13	\$13	\$93	\$1316		1	33	233	5							
Alto.	Geo. L. Hixon	800	800	100		36	36	9	9	50	795		2	17	102	1							
Amoy.	C. A. Byrt	900	900	100		50	50	12	12	76	1088		2	27	265	1							
Anoka and Bethel.	C. E. Dunlap	920	920	120		48	48	13	13	85	1066		2	35	304	23							
Arcadia.	M. L. Hardingham	920	920	120		52	52	12	12	80	1064		1	18	217	9							
Atlanta.	W. M. Anos	900	900	100		44	44	10	10	68	1022		1	16	141	13							
Boxley	C. W. Montgomery	960	960	100		60	60	16	16	87	1106	\$17	3	50	400	20							
Bunker Hill	C. W. Chadwick	1200	1200	200		64	64	16	16	95	1375		1	17	242	7							
Center.	F. V. Barnes	750	750	100		52	52	12	12	93	994	13	3	35	260	5							
Chadwick	M. R. Brugh	1000	1000	100		44	44	15	15	40	789		1	20	245	5							
Chero.	M. B. Graham	1150	1150	150		98	98	22	22	144	1400		3	82	529	39							
Converse.	J. G. Donner	1150	1150	150		98	98	22	22	144	1400		3	82	529	39							
Dorset.	R. F. Radcliffe	1800	1800	300		126	126	34	34	144	1593	42	3	94	172	18							
Elwood	J. W. Rogers	1150	1150	150		72	72	17	17	110	1540	32	3	94	172	18							
Franklin	E. S. Riley	1350	1350	150		52	52	11	11	71	1034		1	12	219	31							
Frankton	Geo. E. Garrison	900	900	100		52	52	11	11	71	1034		1	12	219	31							
Zalesstown	C. B. Thomas	760	760	60		48	48	10	10	76	784		3	36	312	9							
Blood	Le Roy Myers	1300	1300	200		72	72	22	22	104	1498		3	55	505	9							
Hillsboro and Florida.	L. M. Krier	1450	1450	250		84	84	21	21	130	1685		1	24	280	10							
Greenwood.	Albert C. Hoover	1000	1000	100		56	56	12	12	85	70	1138	15	3	25	300	25						
Hillsboro and Aroma.	E. C. Fisher	950	950	150		52	52	12	12	87	87	951		2	34	254	27						
Kempston.	J. W. Wallers	1000	933	100	\$67	68	62	14	11	98	60	966	114	4	60	450	2						
Kokomo: Grace.	W. B. Freeland	2700	2700	400		196	196	50	50	317	317	3263		2	52	1017	26						
Main Street.	Jas. A. Sprague	2300	2300	300		136	136	40	40	200	200	2676		1	62	1140	28						
Beamer	Everett Nixon	800	816	100		30	30	8	8	35	35	789		2	25	335	30						
Logansport: Broadway	Virt Lowther	2300	2300	300		144	144	36	36	224	224	2704		1	30	504	4						
Market Street.	William A. Griest	1900	1900	300		124	124	32	32	200	200	2256		1	40	965	17						
Market Street.	E. C. Dunn	1400	1400	200		84	84	21	15	142	142	1641	6	1	28	437	10						
Mary	E. H. Kennedy	1000	1000	100		64	64	17	17	125	125	1206		2	32	337	10						
Mexico	Frank A. Wimer	1000	975	100	25	56	53	13	13	83	53	1094	57	4	47	332	19						
Miami.	M. E. Shattuck	920	920	120		48	48	10	10	81	81	1059		2	30	320	8						
New Waverly.	John Parker	1100	1092	100	8	60	60	13	13	96	96	1261	8	3	46	326	16						
Peru	Charles H. Smith	2200	2200	400		160	160	44	44	260	260	2664		1	38	1083	34						
Richland Chapel	Ephraim Jesse	900	900			48	48	11	11	63	63	1022		1	26	162	4						
Roann	Burt W. Bechtold	1125	1125	125		68	68	16	16	100	100	1369		2	44	384	9						
Shelbyville	John W. Edwards	1200	1200	200		70	70	15	15	91	91	1376		3	23	249	16						
Shelbyville	W. C. Fager	1000	1000	100	108	98	61	15	10	107	89	1057	139	4	53	519	7						
Shelbyville	W. C. Fager	1200	1200	200		70	70	15	15	91	91	1376		3	23	249	16						
Shelbyville	W. C. Fager	1440	1440	240		93	93	23	23	117	117	1410		1	21	271	10						
Shelbyville	W. E. McPheters	1800	1800	300		132	132	33	33	142	142	1693		1	24	400	53						
Dixton	Arthur Gates	1800	1800	300		132	132	33	33	142	142	1693		1	24	400	53						
Twelve Mile.	L. J. Sheldon	900	900	100		48	48	10	10	76	76	1059		2	30	320	8						
Walton	H. L. Liddle	1100	1100	100		70	70	19	18	98	98	1257		3	40	300	3						
West Middleton	Robert M. Sand	920	920	120		48	48	12	12	90	75	1035	15	3	35	295	6						
Windfall.	Will E. Hamilton	1150	1150	150		60	60	13	13	99	99	1322		1	21	358	15						
Total		\$53615	\$53423	\$6895	\$208	\$2236	\$3220	\$793	\$784	\$4080	\$4768	\$61745	\$458	83	1491	17355	791						
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LOGANSPOORT DISTRICT.—STATISTICIAN'S REPORT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	CHURCH MEMBERSHIP.					EPWORTH LEAGUE.		CHURCH PROPERTY.							GENERAL CONF. EXPENSES.				
	PROBATIONERS.	FULL MEMBERS.				Senior Members.	Junior Members.	Churches.	Estimated Value.	Parsonage.	Estimated Value.	Paid for Buildings and Improvements on Churches and Parsonages.	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages.	Present Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages.	Current Expenses: Sexton, Fuel, Light, Etc..	Balance Due for the Quadrennium.	Paid This Year.	Apportioned for the Quadrennium.	Balance Due for the Quadrennium.
		Now on Roll.	Enrolled During Year.	Members on Roll.	Non-Resident Members.															Local Preachers.	Deaths During Year.
LOGANSPOORT DISTRICT.																			
Akron.	10	2	223	6		4	30	1	\$12000	1	\$1200	\$105	\$252		\$184	\$5	\$20		
Alto.	3	7	158	6			25	1	3000	1	1200	100			100		4		
Amoy.	28	10	249		1	3	66	1	17000	1	1200	4000	\$5620	202	306		5		
Anoka and Bethel.	10	5	179	12		3	25	1	12000	1	1500	1000	325	500	140		10		\$5
Areadia.	13		160				58	24	6000	1	2000	250		400	200				
Baxter.	36	14	251		3		35	3	10000	1	700	17			225		9		
Baxter.	15	17	208	20		1	50	3	9000	1	3500	35			175				
Baxter.	12	1	195	20		2	35	1	10000	1	1000	250			140				
Baxter.	46	25	543	1		1	39	44	17000	1	1000	100	400	2800	200				
Baxter.	141	35	801	6	1	3	126	25	12500	1	1200	730	160	200	210				
Baxter.	18	3	230	5	2	3	30	3	11000	1	5000	600	1900	5800	654		10		
Baxter.	3	3	223	5	1	3	48	3	11000	1	2000	200	100	100	230		11		
Baxter.	32	7	236	5	1	3	115	3	10500	1	2000	200	100	100	200		12		
Baxter.	4	1	222	12	2	3	115	3	11000	1	3500	50	600	250	240		9		
Baxter.	33	8	361		1	3	20	3	9000	1	3000	205			337				
Baxter.	28	14	211		1	4	11	4	6000	1	1200	200		800	200				
Baxter.	6	1	263	2	2	1	70	2	5000	1	1600	115	280		100				
Baxter.	34	44	1030	5	4	14	72	18	7000	1	5000	220	2000	6500	750				
Baxter.	105	30	1000	10	3	6	140	1	40000	1	4000	100	1000	1600	200				
Baxter.	34	14	220					2	9000	1	1200	1600	300	1600	8500	1250			
Baxter.	32	25	540	83		5	60	1	70000	1	4000	300	1600	8500	1250				
Baxter.	36	34	763	42		11	140	125	45000	1	3500	35	1315	4500	1055				
Baxter.	15	42	418	21		7	75	30	13800	2	3100	100	195	1700	225				
Baxter.	15	9	364		1	8	36	2	10500	1	1400	30	45	755	225				
Baxter.	26	5	242	10		5	82	20	4000	1	1500	40	755	225	160				
Baxter.	8	5	218			1	117	65	9000	1	1700	30		80	150				
Baxter.	19	9	326	41		3	61	1	4000	1	1000	160	200	150	150				
Baxter.	46	14	904	12		8	23	1	3000	1	8000	200	498	30	275				
Baxter.	2		116			1	45	50	10000	1	2000	30		250	250				
Baxter.	12	20	335	6	1	6	60	1	15000	1	1500	40	40	300	300				
Baxter.	28		391			5	67	60	18000	1	2000	150	1000	500	850				
Baxter.	73	12	340	2		2	45	40	10000	1	1000	150	1000	500	850				
Baxter.	7	8	340			1	60	1	40000	1	1800	40	40	300	300				
Baxter.	72	10	500			3	40	3	21000	1	1000	60	150	1000	500				
Baxter.	35	28	523	57	1	7	60	1	16000	1	2000	60	150	600	225				
Baxter.	19	1	203			1	40	1	10000	1	1000	60	150	600	225				
Baxter.	13	17	307	10		3	40	1	12000	1	2000	60	150	600	225				
Baxter.	24		228	8		3	50	15	28300	1	2500	150	8150	4250	225				
Baxter.	25					3													
Total.	1155	498	15377	451	33	178	769	83	\$764600	42	\$95100	\$7834	\$25222	\$44454	\$16106	\$136	\$89	\$5	\$5

MUNCIE DISTRICT.—STATISTICIAN'S REPORT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	NAME OF PASTOR.	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT.										SUNDAY SCHOOLS.		BAPTISMS.				
		PASTOR.		DISTRICT SUPERINTS.		BISHOPS.		CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS.		Total Deficiency	Total Paid for Ministerial Support.....	Sunday Schools	Officers and Teachers...		Total Enrollment in all Departments	Children Baptized.....	Adults Baptized.....	Baptized Children Under Instruction.....
		Total Claim, Including House Rent.....	Total Paid, Including House Rent.....	Rental Value of Parsonage.....	Deficiency.....	Claim.....	Paid.....	Claim.....	Paid.....									
MUNCIE DISTRICT.																		
Albany Circuit.....	J. H. Palmer.....	\$1400	\$1400	\$200	.....	\$79	\$79	\$19	\$19	\$117	\$117	\$1615	.....	1	38	389	30	10
Albany Circuit.....	H. E. Forbes.....	1200	1200	200	.....	70	70	19	19	115	115	1404	.....	4	57	487	52	3
Alexandria.....	D. V. Williams.....	1400	1400	200	.....	124	124	36	36	212	212	1772	.....	1	43	618	4	10
Alexandria Circuit.....	Julius Pfeiffer*.....	750	634	100	\$16	55	55	14	14	91	91	794	\$16	5	69	373	12	45
Anderson: First Church.....	Eugene Allen.....	3000	3000	500	.....	224	224	58	58	343	343	3625	.....	1	50	900	40	6
Grace Church.....	Burt W. Lewis.....	480	480	180	100	39	24	10	6	63	12	522	170	1	20	151	4	1
Indiana Avenue.....	H. T. Prell.....	900	900	100	.....	48	48	11	11	73	73	1032	.....	1	16	132	4	6
Noble Street.....	W. M. Hollolpeter.....	1150	1150	150	.....	72	72	17	17	107	107	1346	.....	1	18	296	1	1
Park Place.....	J. A. Raley.....	750	615	.....	135	66	66	7	6	41	31	682	154	3	16	138	3	5
Carmel.....	C. M. Hobbs.....	1050	1085	150	.....	66	66	17	17	102	102	1270	.....	3	47	311	10	3
Daleville and Mt. Tabor.....	B. R. Pogue.....	500	500	.....	.....	28	28	6	6	30	30	564	.....	1	18	186	12	1
De Soto.....	E. E. DeWitt.....	1020	1020	120	.....	64	64	19	19	107	107	1210	.....	3	75	415	3	1
Eaton.....	J. A. Patterson.....	1400	1400	200	.....	80	80	19	19	128	128	1627	.....	3	19	244	3	1
Fishers.....	Herbert Perry.....	696	671	96	25	45	44	11	11	68	65	791	29	3	32	166	4	1
Fortville.....	W. W. Wiant.....	1400	1400	200	.....	81	81	21	21	130	130	1632	.....	1	20	405	4	1
Gaston.....	C. B. Dougherty.....	1050	1050	100	.....	65	65	15	15	80	80	1210	.....	1	35	512	29	15
Harford City: Grace.....	E. E. Trippner.....	1850	1850	250	.....	128	128	37	37	220	220	2235	.....	4	49	371	29	6
Harford City Circuit.....	O. C. Brown and C. P. Culver.....	975	769	.....	206	46	26	10	5	74	36	836	269	4	26	225	19	8
Inglalls.....	A. G. Kizer.....	660	528	60	72	42	37	11	11	60	30	605	108	4	60	410	.....	18
Jolietville.....	P. H. Walter.....	900	877	100	23	50	48	13	13	81	78	1014	30	1	21	357	6	4
Lapel.....	P. E. Greenwalt.....	1450	1450	150	.....	72	72	17	17	142	142	1707	.....	3	50	475	9	4
Mathews.....	Owen B. Young.....	850	850	100	.....	67	67	17	17	102	102	1036	.....	1	25	385	1	35
Middletown.....	W. W. Brown.....	1052	1052	200	.....	55	55	14	14	85	85	1206	.....	1	25	430	3	8
Muncie: Arvonale.....	F. E. Fribley.....	920	920	120	.....	55	55	15	15	90	90	1080	.....	1	32	382	2	3
High Street.....	D. S. Jones.....	3100	3100	600	.....	284	284	79	79	445	445	3808	.....	1	32	382	2	16
Madison Street.....	W. W. Martin.....	1350	1350	150	.....	85	85	23	23	140	140	1588	.....	1	40	420	3	10
New Burlington.....	J. L. Murr.....	1200	1200	100	.....	76	76	18	18	118	118	1412	.....	4	40	420	3	30
Normal City.....	T. J. Johnson.....	1140	1140	240	.....	59	59	16	16	103	103	1318	.....	1	23	240	4	9
Whitley.....	H. A. Kirk.....	752	752	102	.....	8	8	8	8	45	45	829	.....	1	16	216	.....	22
Noblesville: First Church.....	F. A. Hall.....	2100	2100	300	.....	136	136	38	38	225	225	2499	.....	1	40	560	11	1
Noblesville Circuit.....	R. I. Stone.....	650	650	120	.....	50	50	15	15	85	85	800	.....	3	48	348	2	2
Pendleton.....	J. E. Williams.....	1150	1150	150	.....	86	86	22	22	132	132	1390	.....	1	17	240	.....	1
Pertusville.....	B. E. Jones.....	1000	1000	150	.....	68	68	20	20	112	112	1200	.....	5	60	470	76	.....
Salma.....	L. A. Sevits.....	1250	1250	150	.....	89	89	23	23	140	140	1502	.....	2	40	300	2	.....
Shidler.....	G. F. Osburn.....	937	907	100	30	60	59	15	14	97	92	1072	37	4	40	344	25	.....
Summitville.....	C. E. White.....	1450	1450	250	.....	92	92	24	24	145	145	1711	.....	1	19	302	5	1
Summitville Circuit.....	C. G. Cook.....	225	230	.....	.....	16	16	4	4	25	25	275	.....	2	29	199	8	5
Westfield.....	F. E. Lutes.....	950	950	150	.....	49	49	13	13	80	80	1092	.....	1	12	178	1	3
Yorktown.....	V. B. Hargitt.....	1050	1016	150	34	76	74	18	17	115	110	1217	42	1	25	295	.....	1
Total.....	Total.....	\$45207	\$44446	\$6188	\$641	\$2962	\$2908	\$776	\$761	\$4668	\$4523	\$52638	\$855	76	1377	14833	526	122 366

* Chastain served seven months; Pfeiffer, four months.

MUNCIE DISTRICT.—STATISTICIAN'S REPORT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	NAME OF PASTOR.	CHURCH MEMBERSHIP.				EPWORTH LEAGUE.		CHURCH PROPERTY.							GENERAL CONF. EXPENSES.				
		PROBATIONERS.	FULL MEMBERS.			Senior Members.....	Junior Members.....	Churches.....	Estimated Value.....	Parsonages.....	Estimated Value.....	Paid for Buildings and Improvements on Churches and Parsonages.....	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages.....	Present Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages.....	Current Expenses: Sexton, Fuel, Light, Etc..	Apportioned for the Quadrennium.....	Paid This Year.....	Balance Due for the Quadrennium.....	
			Now on Roll...	Enrolled During Year	Members on Roll														Non-Resident Members.....	Local Preachers	Deaths During Year.....
MUNCIE DISTRICT.																			
Albany.....	J. H. Palmer.....	37	6	360	15	2	10	58	1	\$15,000	1	\$2,000	\$75	\$28	\$321	84	\$4		
Albany Circuit.....	H. E. Forbes.....	37	10	370	21	6	6	147	4	8,000	1	2,000	96	3213	400	12	10		
Alexandria.....	D. V. Williams.....	7	10	703	16	6	6	60	5	30,000	1	1,500	150	600	719	25	11		
Alexandria Circuit.....	Julius Pfeiffer.....	12	3	240	17	1	12	45	1	10,000	1	5,000	600	64,500	42,900	45	45		
Anderson: First Church.....	Eugene Allen.....	43	98	98	23	1	12	125	1	64,500	1	9,000	100	3332	100	5	5		
Grace Church.....	Burt W. Lewis.....	5	7	93	9			30	1	9,000	1	3,000	40	10	160	5	2		
Indiana Avenue.....	H. T. Prell.....	5	18	120	21	1	1	30	1	3,000	1	1,200	268	150	200	11	11		
Noble Street.....	W. M. Hollopeter.....	3	27	97	11	6	6	35	3	6,000	1	2,000	200	600	75	4	4		
Park Place.....	J. A. Raley.....	39	52	280	39	1	1	35	2	8,000	1	2,500	200	500	231	12	2		
Carmel.....	C. M. Hobbs.....	12	11	148	2	2	2	52	3	6,000	1	2,500	200	500	900	12	3		
Daleville and Mt. Tabor.....	B. R. Pogue.....	12	11	309	14	1	4	30	3	5,500	1	2,500	130	130	110	14	3		
De Soto.....	E. E. DeWitt.....	1	9	280	12	1	1	25	3	13,000	1	2,000	130	130	275	12	12		
Eaton.....	J. A. Patterson.....	1	2	186	3	2	2	40	3	7,100	1	1,200	505	20	275	15			
Fishers.....	Herbert Perry.....	5	13	346	30	1	3	50	1	15,000	1	2,000	20	20	600	15			
Fortville.....	W. W. Wiant.....	7	6	225	7	4	4	70	1	10,000	1	1,000	760	270	270	22	11	\$1	
Gaston.....	C. B. Dougherty.....	26	19	802	38	2	2	27	1	15,000	1	2,600	260	150	200	8	8	4	
Hartford City: Grace.....	E. E. Trippier.....	33	40	227	3	1	2	34	4	3,800	1	400	125	600	100	22	11		
Hartford City Circuit.....	O. C. Brown and C. P. Culver.....	13	40	227	3	1	2	27	1	15,000	1	2,600	260	150	200	8	8		
Innalls.....	A. G. Kiser.....	33	19	213	17	3	3	34	4	16,000	1	1,000	150	190	250	9	5		
Jolietville.....	P. H. Walzer.....	21	7	524	21	1	1	34	4	3,000	1	600	125	600	100	8	4		
Lapel.....	Owen B. Young.....	12	22	270	27	1	1	34	4	16,000	1	1,000	150	190	250	9	5		
Matthews.....	F. E. Fridley.....	1	3	250	30	3	3	40	4	4,000	1	2,000	337	216	175	8	4		
Muncie: Avonhale.....	W. W. Brown.....	8	20	272	30	3	12	40	35	13,000	1	1,500	400	150	230	10	10		
High Street.....	D. S. Jones.....	46	48	1853	130	3	12	150	1	3,500	1	800	100	25	330	70	70		
Madison Street.....	J. L. Murr.....	17	17	344	24	2	2	32	1	6,000	1	1,800	100	1650	3310	4	4		
New Burlington.....	T. J. Johnson.....	5	7	263	46	3	3	40	1	8,000	1	1,500	400	140	325	10	5		
Normal City.....	J. L. Johnson.....	1	1	195	2	1	1	40	1	13,000	1	2,500	60	180	180	8	5	3	
Whitely.....	H. A. Kirk.....	7	23	79	9	1	1	35	1	5,000	1	1,500	816	200	145	16	4		
Noklesville: First Church.....	F. A. Hall.....	13	22	800	26	1	20	85	40	3,000	1	4,000	816	200	900	26	26		
Noklesville Circuit.....	R. J. Stone.....	4	7	271	1	1	3	24	3	8,000	1	2,000	875	136	125	6	6		
Pendleton.....	J. E. Williams.....	3	3	377	44	1	7	54	1	17,000	1	1,800	75	954	400	17	17		
Perkinsville.....	B. E. Jones.....	30	7	397	4	1	4	20	5	17,500	1	1,100	500	1,300	1,750	10	10		
Shiloh.....	L. A. Sayds.....	23	9	327	4	1	1	41	5	17,500	1	1,800	325	200	275	16	16		
Summitville.....	G. F. Osborn.....	9	46	274	12	2	2	65	41	22,000	1	1,400	200	1,000	1,350	7	7		
Summitville Circuit.....	C. E. White.....	5	5	379	23	2	2	30	1	12,000	1	2,500	165	500	1,000	15	15		
Westfield.....	C. G. Cook.....	5	5	87	4	5	5	25	2	4,750	1	1,700	225	550	300	4	2		
Yorktown.....	V. B. Hargitt.....	1	1	220	20			25	1	2,500	1	1,500	225	617	4800	325	11	11	
Total.....		456	490	13786	1000	26	142	1282	81	\$550750	36	\$74100	\$22694	\$9835	\$24958	\$17623	\$451	\$360	\$21

* Chastain served seven months; Pfeiffer, four months.

RICHMOND DISTRICT.—STATISTICIAN'S REPORT.

NAME OF CHARGE.		NAME OF PASTOR.		MINISTERIAL SUPPORT.						SUNDAY SCHOOLS.		BAPTISMS.							
				PASTOR.		DISTRICT SUPER'ENTS.		BISHOPS.		CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS.		Total Deficiency	Total Paid for Ministerial Support	Sunday Schools	Officers and Teachers.	Total Enrollment in all Departments	Adults Baptized.	Children Baptized.	Baptized Children Under Instruction
				Total Claim, Including House Rent.	Total Paid, Including House Rent.	Rental Value of Parsonage.	Deficiency.	Claim.	Paid.	Claim.	Paid.								
RICHMOND DISTRICT.																			
Cambridge City	R. C. Jones	\$900	\$900	\$175		\$81	\$81	\$16	\$16	\$57	\$1054	1	17	247	13	4	25		
Centerville	L. P. Pfeiffer	845	845	120		72	72	15	15	55	987	2	36	267	3	3	3		
Charlotteville	E. H. Taylor	950	950	100		74	74	16	16	84	1124	3	40	370	29				
Dunkirk	B. Kendall	1600	1600	200		117	117	25	25	126	1868	1	30	598	18	5	14		
Economy	P. Polhemus	1120	1120	120		90	90	18	18	89	1317	1	30	306	11	5	5		
Farmland	J. S. Phillips	1150	1150	150		90	90	20	20	118	1378	3	65	425	18	24	30		
Fountain City	J. S. Phillips	900	900	100		64	64	12	12	70	1046	1	35	295	37	7	12		
Greenfield	S. L. Gates	1800	1800	300		135	135	28	28	173	2136	1	42	600	4	4	15		
Hagerstown	A. C. Wiscumier	1050	1050	150		72	72	14	14	84	1220	3	43	443	4	6	4		
Kennard	(C. A. Mitchell)	950	950	150		66	66	16	16	30	1062	4	32	482	10				
Knightstown	J. H. Runkle	1400	1400	200		99	99	21	21	140	1680	1	24	324	53	4	10		
Lewisville	R. C. Ballard	1120	1120	120		80	80	15	15	112	1340	3	35	317	3	1	10		
Lynn	E. C. Hallman	1100	1100	150		80	80	15	15	61	1256	2	28	300	26				
Markleville	(O. P. Van Y)	810	810	60		62	62	12	12	51	935	3	39	239	2				
Maxwell	A. J. Duryee	870	870	100		66	66	14	14	100	1050	4	71	575	12				
McClintockville	M. R. Peirce	800	800	100		58	58	12	12	53	923	1	39	200	12				
Mill Grove	T. S. Haddock	850	851	100		64	64	13	13	54	952	4	80	580	14	3	19		
Modoc	J. H. Richardson	1000	902	150	\$98	77	67	16	14	105	92	4	49	613	1	10	20		
New Castle	O. A. Trabue	1800	1800	300		135	135	28	28	165	2128	3	50	685	4	6	15		
Parker	C. B. Sweeney	1200	1200	200		82	82	16	16	107	1405	3	40	222	8	3	12		
Philadelphia	H. H. Compton	806	806	100		64	64	13	13	54	937	1	26	336	8	3	12		
Red Key	C. B. Croxall	1350	1350	500		100	100	21	21	133	1604	1	40	613	8	15	10		
Richmond: First Church	H. C. Harmon	2300	2300	500		162	162	33	33	200	2695	2	42	496	10	3	6		
Richmond: Second Church	U. S. A. Bridge	2200	2200	400		162	162	33	33	168	2563	1	34	274	16	9	40		
Richmond: Third Church	J. P. Chamness	900	900	150		60	60	13	13	42	1015	2	18	244	5	9	16		
Ridgeville	R. H. Wehrly	950	950	150		72	72	15	15	60	1097	1	36	316	12	19	19		
Salamanca	W. E. Roabrig	750	750	100		50	50	11	11	50	861	3	36	261	6	8	8		
Saratoga	J. W. Zerbe	1025	1025	125		77	77	15	15	60	1177	1	19	261	6	8	8		
Shirley	C. W. Anderson	834	784	60	50	63	59	13	10	56	903	63	57	467	3	3	3		
Spiceburg	E. A. Bonner	920	841	120	79	72	65	15	14	73	985	95	2	29	401	13	7	9	
Union City	L. J. Natfager	1940	1940	240		153	153	32	32	147	2272	3	47	446	12	7	9		
Williamsburg	Lewis Ulmer	1100	1100	100		72	72	20	20	72	1264	1	30	50	480	3	1	2	
Winchester	T. P. Morris	1700	1700	200		135	135	28	28	140	2003	3	50	29	502	3	1	2	
Winchester Circuit	Benjamin Franklin	841	854	116		72	72	15	15	50	991	4	55	423	14	2	2		
Total		\$39825	\$39618	\$5556	\$227	\$2988	\$2967	\$622	\$616	\$3112	\$46313	75	1335	14094	485	138	299		

RICHMOND DISTRICT.—STATISTICIAN'S REPORT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	CHURCH MEMBERSHIP.				EPWORTH LEAGUE.		CHURCH PROPERTY.						GENERAL CONF EXPENSES.				
	PROBATIONERS.	FULL MEMBERS.			Senior Members.	Junior Members.	Churches.	Estimated Value	Parsonages	Estimated Value	Paid for Buildings and Improvements on Churches and Parsonages	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages	Present Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages	Current Expenses: Sexton, Fuel, Light, Etc.	Apportioned for the Quadrennium	Paid This Year	Balance Due for the Quadrennium
		Enrolled During Year	New on Roll	Members on Roll														Non-Resident Members	Local Preachers.	Deaths During Year
RICHMOND DISTRICT.																	
Cambridge City.	47	30	190	44	2	2	20	1	\$25000	\$2000	\$267	\$525	\$3550	\$540	\$12	\$12	\$5
Centerville.	6	6	191	12	4	6	35	2	11000	2000	298	1230	212	230	10	5	8
Charlottesville.	46		391	22	6	4	70	3	18000	1200			2657	320	11	8	
Dunkirk.			463	31	2	5	67	1	15000	2500	4000	243	1900	600	25	12	
Economy.	2	7	264	39	1	3	42	1	6000	2000				225	14	14	
Farmland.	16	25	343	22	1	3	58	3	24000	1500	840			430	14	10	
Fountain City.	20	2	247	43	3	5	43	3	7500	1350	160			350	5		
Greenfield.	20	10	550	25	1	12	75	1	30000	5000	1350			800		18	
Hagerstown.	9	5	242	40	1	1	30	3	7000	2500	180			250			
Kennard.	104	93	175	20	1	2	51	4	8000	1500	850	25	400	210	15	10	
(C. A. Mitchell).	73	19	533	48	3	5	20	2	26000	4000	121	411	411	320	14	7	
Knightstown.	5	3	383	53	1	2	3	3	18100	3100	115	35	298	325	6	6	
Lewisville.	3	16	142	13	1	2	3	2	4500	2000	60			157	8	8	
Lynx.	9	9	196		5			3	7000	150	150			350	11	6	
Markleville.	10	5	400			4	86	1	16000	300	300		100	81	8		
Maxwell.	7	118				35	35	2	3300	1500	129		1025	160			
McGordsville.	16	29	285	10	1	3	32	4	12000	100	4220		300	400			
Mill Grove.	2	8	315	25	5	5	41	4	12000	3000	375	1175	300	400	21	11	6
Modoc.	161	17	750	50	1	5	130	1	45000	5000	800	75	100	1000	24	6	7
New Castle.	6	20	258	46	2	2	2	3	10000	3600	75	200	100	315	21	6	
Parlier.	15	15	144	9				3	6000	1500	45			159	9		
Philadelphia.	39	5	348	29	2	10	50	1	15000	3000		45	695	608	15	15	
Red Key.	35	40	670	36	4	7	101	1	50000	8000	200	600	2000	1500	25	10	
Richmond: First Church.	20	13	646	27	1	4	51	2	50000	5000	741			1637	25	11	
Grace Church.	45	57	226		1	3	30	1	7600	2100	800	310		206	9		
Third Church.	18	23	158	32	1	1	30	1	7500	2000	150			150	10	10	
Ridgville.	29	19	184	8	1	1	3	1	4800	1800	200			130	4	4	
Salamanca.	6	9	104	12				3	13000	3000				170	9	9	
Saratoga.	12	20	244	6	2	3	15	4	12000	900			1900	220	9	9	
Shirley.	7	5	235	1		3	22	1	8500	1500	30			225	8	6	
Spiceland.	12	5	472	50	6	3	75	1	35000	3000	1000	4827	2975	1030	23	10	
Union City.	20	3	303	7	1	7	3	3	6000	1600	200	400		260	6		
Williamsburg.	3	5	437	7	1	3	1	1	25000	3500	457			1109	21	11	
Winchester.	2	35	225	19	2	2	2	4	11270		5270			400	8	4	
Benjamin Franklin.																	
Total	789	559	10922	851	35	121	1221	573	34	\$558070	\$83200	\$24623	\$9671	\$18124	\$359	\$258	\$25

WABASH DISTRICT.—STATISTICIAN'S REPORT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT.										SUNDAY SCHOOLS.		BAPTISMS.	
	PASTOR.				DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENTS.		BISHOPS.		CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS.		Total Enrollments in all Departments		Children Baptized.	
	Total Claim, Including House Rent.	Total Paid, Including House Rent.	Rental Value of Parsonage	Deficiency	Claim.	Paid.	Claim.	Paid.	Claim.	Paid.	Officers and Teachers.	Adults Baptized.	Baptized Children Under Instruction	
WABASH DISTRICT.														
Andrews	\$1150	\$1150	\$150		\$87	\$57	\$15	\$84	\$84	\$1306	1	33	1	
Bippus	700	700	60		41	41	10	61	61	812	3	37	5	
Burket	900	780	100	\$120	50	50	12	70	60	900	3	53	1	
Churubusco	950	950	150		51	51	12	75	75	1013	1	24	2	
Churubusco Circuit	800	705	100	95	55	15	13	81	30	754	3	35	1	
College Hill	705	705								105	3	35	3	
F. R. Opner	108	108		38						10	1	10	28	
J. Thos. Bean	1690	1600	200		93	93	23	137	137	1853	1	37	8	
Farmount	1200	1200	200		79	79	19	117	117	1415	1	30	18	
John J. Fred	1129	1129	120		60	60	15	89	89	1284	1	19	30	
Kan R. Godwin	3100	3100	400		227	227	53	335	335	3715	1	19	200	
Huntington: First Church	1150	907	150	248	73	57	18	131	108	84	1	46	1157	
Huntington Circuit	950	950	150		75	75	18	111	111	1154	4	1	20	
Jonesboro	1220	1220	120		72	72	18	106	106	1416	1	15	465	
LaFontaine	1150	1150	150		67	67	16	96	96	1332	2	30	345	
Lacro and Asbury	900	900	100		61	61	16	90	90	1067	2	21	421	
Liberty Mills	2700	2700	500		15	15	5	320	320	320	4	44	324	
Marion: First Church	1200	1200	150		78	78	18	115	115	1411	1	58	1208	
Grace	700	700	150		50	50	12	74	35	797	1	25	620	
C. E. Olson	400	400			26	26	6	38	26	438	3	39	419	
H. G. Robson	984	984	81		53	53	12	78	78	1027	1	9	144	
Wm. H. Harrison	1740	1740	240		107	107	26	158	138	2031	1	33	281	
Franklin A. LeMaster	1250	1350	150		81	81	20	120	120	1371	1	27	477	
O. Trevis Martin	872	872			49	49	22	72	72	1005	1	22	305	
O. M. Hunt	1000	1000	240		86	86	22	127	127	1255	1	18	268	
J. J. Trener	900	900	100		53	53	13	78	78	1044	2	45	257	
Alfred V. Patton	1000	1000	180		94	94	16	139	94	1179	2	59	327	
C. M. Yawter	1030	1030	100	310	47	47	11	69	79	879	3	62	541	
W. B. Hardy	800	750		45						588	3	26	205	
E. A. Hartman	900	900	150		54	54	13	80	80	1047	1	20	228	
F. M. I. White	950	1100	100		61	61	15	90	90	1266	1	17	222	
Swazee	920	920	120		53	53	12	78	78	1063	1	20	250	
Swedenborg	1120	1120	120		73	73	18	108	108	1319	2	31	401	
Union and Rockford	1450	1450	150		83	83	21	123	123	1677	2	49	602	
Van Buren	1120	1120	120		63	63	16	92	92	1291	2	34	390	
J. O. Campbell	2500	2500	500		175	175	43	258	258	2976	1	36	801	
Walsh: First Church	1250	1250	150		69	69	17	102	102	1438	1	28	208	
Walsh: Second Church	1300	1400	200		84	84	21	124	124	1629	1	26	386	
Walsh Street	1200	1200	200		80	80	20	118	118	1418	1	32	494	
G. B. Work	900	900	100		60	60	15	89	89	1064	4	68	371	
Arlington G. Singer														
Total	\$45204	\$44989	\$6126	\$865	\$2893	\$2838	\$705	\$4266	\$4921	\$52538	68	1261	376	215

* For four months.

WABASH DISTRICT.—STATISTICIAN'S REPORT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	CHURCH MEMBERSHIP.				EPWORTH LEAGUE.		CHURCH PROPERTY.							GENERAL CONF. EXPENSES.				
	PROBATIONERS.	FULL MEMBERS.			Senior Members.	Junior Members.	Churches.	Estimated Value.	Parsonages.	Estimated Value.	Paid for Buildings and Improvements on Churches and Parsonages.	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages.	Present Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages.	Current Expenses: Sexton, Fuel, Light, Etc..	Apportioned for the Quadrennium.	Paid This Year.	Balance Due for the Quadrennium.	
		Now on Roll.	Enrolled During Year.	Members on Roll.														Non-Resident Members.	Local Preachers.	Deaths During Year.
NAME OF PASTOR.																		
WABASH DISTRICT.																		
Andrews.	36	3	255	12	6	57	1	\$4500	1	\$1800	..	..	..	\$200	..	\$2	..
Bippus.	4	22	212	6	2	47	3	4500	1	1200	\$213	\$1119	\$1100	85	..	10	..	
Burket.	15	..	163	1	1	..	3	14000	1	2000	..	..	..	175	9	8	..
Churchbusho.	5	6	254	10	1	..	3	3000	1	1500	17	..	..	145	9	8	..
College Hill.	..	..	18	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	26	..	..	..
Columbia City.	25	13	355	3	1	63	1	25000	1	3500	225	4015	6400	405	..	9	\$3	
Farmount.	10	25	280	20	2	40	1	14000	1	2000	100	600	600	265	13	5	..	
Gas City.	31	15	196	36	3	22	1	7500	1	1500	15	100	900	210	10	10	..	
Huntington: First Church.	26	19	1346	50	14	103	80	60000	1	6000	7000	20000	20000	1086	57	7	..	
Huntington Circuit.	31	35	293	18	2	31	16	10000	1	1500	330	1498	660	193	10	..	..
Jonesboro.	2	17	261	10	2	30	15	7000	1	2000	700	560	100	200	9	..	..
A. L. Weaver.	23	3	317	25	3	40	50	8500	1	2000	225	..	..	227	..	..	..
LaFontaine.	20	17	253	20	1	50	60	14000	1	2000	10000	..	..	400	20	..	..
Lauro and Asbury.	16	13	287	5	6	86	60	11700	1	1200	200	..	..	350	..	6	..
Larsell.	..	..	91	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	150	..	..	2000	50	30	..
Liberty Mills.	26	34	1271	105	4	214	60	25000	1	4000	100	..	..	255	12	5	..
Marion: First Church.	18	8	394	..	..	77	..	3500	1	2000	186	250	800	184	..	5	..
Grace.	30	19	272	..	1	78	82	8000	1	1800	1107	..	..	90	..	..	..
HIGHLAND AVENUE.	8	8	117	15	..	20	..	2000	1	3500	20	211	400	153	..	..	..
Home Park.	18	22	162	2	1	33	50	19000	1	5000	..	..	..	400	..	..	..
North Street.	16	6	440	14	4	81	38	20000	1	2000	150	..	..	200	..	2	..
Markle.	2	3	163	5	2	60	..	12000	1	1000	40	..	..	331	..	..	..
Meatone.	1	1	230	1	1	48	45	12500	1	2500	335	478	274	230	8	6	..	
Mount Eta.	8	5	205	2	2	50	30	14000	1	1500	1248	..	..	287	..	..	..
North Manchester.	9	4	306	5	3	30	..	10000	1	2500	200	951	..	130	12	7	..	
Point Isabel.	10	27	263	17	4	..	..	15500	1	2000	108	..	..	185	..	..	..
Roaucke.	1	3	193	15	1	..	..	5000	1	1000	600	1046	..	175	8	2	..
Silver Lake.	1	3	208	13	1	30	..	6000	1	2000	346	..	..	170	4	4	..
Sins.	..	..	172	6	1	40	..	10000	1	1200	60	..	..	125	..	..	..
South Whitley.	2	12	186	5	1	20	..	2000	1	1400	155	674	2100	250	5	..	..
Sprague.	1	1	333	..	1	100	22	5000	1	3000	12	..	..	260	..	..	..
Steger.	2	19	381	58	27	24	..	18000	1	1200	75	2140	..	270	3	3	..	
Unionale and Rockford.	59	38	381	58	27	125	..	10000	1	10000	40	..	..	1200	16	15	..
Van Buren.	15	19	209	8	15	90	..	50000	1	7000	200	..	..	250	15	15	..
Wabash: First Church.	38	30	813	92	15	125	..	10000	1	1800	150	..	..	250	15	15	..
Wabash.	10	2	225	10	5	90	..	25000	1	2000	120	..	..	300	14	7	..
Middle Street.	6	6	360	10	4	35	42	14000	1	1300	285	..	..	360	..	..	..
Wabash Street.	18	5	360	10	4	35	42	14000	1	1300	285	..	..	360	..	..	..
Warren.	8	20	279	9	2	36	..	8600	1	1300	..	..	..	360	..	..	..
Warren Circuit.	734	466	12687	615	47	136	1780	\$477100	34	\$78200	\$24112	\$30952	\$12236	\$280	\$180	\$3	\$3	
Total.																		

* For four months.

RECAPITULATION.—STATISTICIAN'S REPORT.

NAME OF DISTRICT.	NAME OF SUPERINTENDENT.	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT.										SUNDAY SCHOOLS.		BAPTISMS.					
		PASTOR.		DISTRICT SUPERINTS.		BISHOPS.		CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS.		Total Deficiency	Total Paid for Ministerial Support.	Sunday Schools	Officers and Teachers.	Total Enrollment in all Departments	Adults Baptized.	Children Baptized.	Baptized Children Under Instruction		
				Claim.	Paid.	Claim.	Paid.	Claim.	Paid.										
		\$52765	\$25752	\$7440	\$193	\$3375	\$3370	\$850	\$843	\$5267	\$5150	\$61635	94	1701	19076	967	374	333	
	Ft. Wayne.....	\$53609	\$53484	6204	125	3223	3202	837	828	5235	5113	62627	82	1584	14986	413	160	450	
	Goshen.....	\$53015	\$53423	6895	208	3236	3220	973	784	4980	4768	61745	83	1491	17335	701	261	287	
	Logansport.....	45207	44446	6188	641	2962	2908	776	761	4668	4523	52638	76	1377	14883	526	122	366	
	Muncie.....	39825	39618	5556	227	2988	2967	622	616	3139	3112	46313	281	75	1335	14094	485	138	299
	Richmond.....	45204	44989	6126	865	2893	2838	705	690	4266	4021	52538	68	1261	14773	376	179	215	
	Wabash.....																		
Grand Totals.		\$290225	\$288332	\$38409	\$2259	\$18677	\$18505	\$4703	\$4522	\$27555	\$26687	\$337496	478	8752	95147	3567	1234	1950	
Last Year.....		277663	276625	36328	1734	17838	17721	4296	4260	17448	16883	315489	483	9054	94830	5473	1984	1978	
Increase.....		\$12562	\$11907	\$2081	\$525	\$839	\$784	\$467	\$262	\$10107	\$9804	\$22007	5	302	317	94	750	28	
Decrease.....																			

RECAPITULATION.—STATISTICIAN'S REPORT.

NAME OF DISTRICT.	CHURCH MEMBERSHIP.				LEWORTH LEAGUE.		CHURCH PROPERTY.				GENERAL CONF. EXPENSES.					
	PROBATIONERS.	FULL MEMBERS.			Senior Members.....	Junior Members.....	Churches.....	Estimated Value.....	Parsonages.....	Estimated Value.....	Present Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages.....	Current Expenses: Sexton, Fuel, Light, Etc.....	Apportioned for the Quadrennium.....	Paid This Year.....	Balance Due for the Quadrennium.....	
		Enrolled During Year.....	New on Roll....	Members on Roll.....	Non-Resident Members.....	Local Preachers.....	Deaths During Year.....									
J. A. Beatty.....	1283	705	15853	528	38	171	2257	1183	92	\$790150	34	\$110400	\$20140	\$24072	\$66706	\$19346
R. J. Wade.....	559	571	13068	401	25	173	1814	697	80	736000	36	86600	75212	10539	80818	19327
B. S. Holloper.....	1155	498	15377	451	33	178	1968	769	83	764600	42	95100	7834	25522	44454	16106
C. E. Line.....	456	490	13786	1000	26	142	1282	513	81	556750	36	74100	22694	9835	24958	17623
S. Light.....	789	559	10922	851	35	121	1221	573	78	558070	34	83200	24633	9671	18124	15206
M. S. Marble.....	734	466	12687	615	47	136	1780	640	71	477100	34	78200	24112	30952	66826	12236
Grand Totals.....	4976	3289	81693	3846	204	921	10322	4375	485	\$3882670	216	\$527600	\$174615	111491	301946	\$90844
Last Year.....			8246	3820	80403	4309	216	892	491	3675200	221	516750	224151	96762	277803	93043
Increase.....																
Decrease.....																

RECAPITULATION.—SUNDAY SCHOOL STATISTICS.

NAMES OF DISTRICTS.	SUNDAY SCHOOLS.													
	Sunday Schools	Officers & Teachers.	Scholars, not including Home Department and Cradle Roll	Members in the Home Department	Children on the Cradle Roll	Total Enrollment in all Departments, including Cradle Roll, Home Department, Officers, Teachers, & Scholars	Average Attendance of all Grades	Officers and Teachers who are Church Members or Probationers	Scholars, including the Home Department, who are Church Members or Probationers	Members of Sunday School Converted During the Conference Year	Sunday School Expenses: Lesson Leaves, Books, etc. .	COLLECTIONS FOR THE BOARD OF S. S. SCHOOLS.		
												Church	Sunday School.	Ten per cent of Sunday School Missionary Offering
Ft. Wayne.....	94	1699	15180	743	1532	19154	10005	1894	7761	976	8975	\$235	\$264	\$210
Goshen.....	82	1594	11121	874	1446	14994	7510	1517	7756	528	8018	339	205	155
Logansport.....	83	1491	13729	798	1379	17397	8801	1398	9165	946	7519	199	268	199
Muncie.....	76	1383	11895	621	1036	14935	7990	1223	5994	488	5879	148	153	129
Richmond.....	75	1335	11119	692	948	14094	7291	1222	7372	821	7468	106	132	123
Wabash.....	68	1215	11167	660	1181	14802	6660	1149	6012	525	5921	129	182	223
Grand Totals.	478	8717	74211	4388	7522	95376	48257	8403	43160	4284	43780	\$1176	\$1204	\$1039
Last Year	482	8510	.....	4192	6478	95082	48177	8031	49252	6240	39618	953	1525	986
Increase		207	.....	196	1044	294	80	372	.....	.....	4162	\$223	.....	\$53
Decrease	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6092	1956	.....	.....	\$321	.....

Treasurer's Reports



DAVID S. JONES, Treasurer,
Muncie, Ind.

CHARLES B. DOUGHERTY,
SILAS L. CATES,
GEORGE F. HUBBARTT,

CHARLES B. CROXALL,
FREMONT E. FRIBLEY,
EPHRAIM LEESE,

Assistant Treasurers.

FORT WAYNE DISTRICT.—CONFERENCE TREASURER'S REPORT.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	DISCIPLINARY BENEVOLENCES.										OTHER BENEVOLENCES.				OTHER ITEMS.												
	MISSIONS.				BOARD OF EDUCATION.			CONF. CLAIMANTS.			Taylor University.....	Methodist Memorial Home.....	Sustentation.....	Endowment.....		Other Benevolences.....											
	BOARD OF FOR. MISS. TONS.		BOARD OF HOME MIS. & CH. EX.		Church.....	Sunday Schools.....	Children's Fund.....	Public Educational Collection.....	Church.....	Sunday Schools.....							Board of Conference C'n'ts (Chicago).....	Annual Conference Investments.....	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.....	Woman's Home Missionary Society.....	American Bible Society.....	Central Office Expenses, Epworth League.....	Methodist Brotherhood Dues.....				
	Special Gifts.....	Sunday Schools.....	Special Gifts.....	Sunday Schools.....																							
Angola.....	\$230		\$190		\$101		\$33		\$55	\$11	\$26	\$86	\$80	\$100	\$12	\$1	\$17	\$35	\$4	\$18	\$35	\$753	\$145	\$4	\$80		
Atburn.....	223	\$357	65	500	188	20	98	20	185	32	1	223	239	596	19	4	32	12	6	33	55	502	250	38	13		
Bluffton.....	587	22	16	27	752	9	76	4	10	3	2	752	586	36	7	7	65	135	23	78	70	3364	517	48	15		
Bluffton Circuit.....			35	40	10	4	3	2	26	4	5	10	4	5	5	5	10	18	10	16	16	1	115	19	16		
Bobo.....	50	60	40	52	35	14	7	11	26	3	3	26	3	327	3	3	33	70	74	33	55	218	85	16	3		
Coosse.....	252	79	208	79	50	50	22	17	308	9	12	308	9	327	3	3	33	70	74	33	55	218	85	16	2		
Decatur Circuit.....	52	18	37	4	8	12	4	1	12			12					10	18	10	16	16	27	275	40	5		
Fat.....	6	6	6	6	4	6	5										1	1	1	1	1	2	85	15	3		
Ft. Wayne: First Church.	208	91	68	250	67	40	22	20	60	11	275	60	275	240	20	7	31	75	6	75	61	388	305	43	3		
St. Paul.....	114	31	95	31	22	41	10	4	4	123	8	123	8	161	8	8	15	30	9	16	24	26	140	22	30		
Stimpson.....	229	90	132	90	33	63	19	26	30	47	6	161	187	135	5	5	16	10	5	14	35	1434	175	30	4		
Trinity.....	177	178	51	147	51	34	65	12	16	6	187	10	187	252	4	4	16	10	5	5	73	225	170	26	2		
Wayne Street.....	275	65	240	65	71	50	25	36	181	13	313	181	313	252	26	26	6	21	5	7	12	121	310	48	2		
Ft. Wayne Circuit.....	45	2	43	9	16	6	7	10	2	4	2	2	29	2	2	2	6	24	12	12	20	30	60	12	2		
Fremont.....	31	59	96	51	17	31	10	3	52	3	4	52	3	212	5	5	2	24	12	12	20	22	30	120	20	2	
Garret.....	149	30	80	30	10	25	12	10	107	1	76	107	76	212	5	5	2	24	12	12	20	22	30	120	20	2	
Geneva.....	89	30	80	30	10	25	12	10	22	2	1	22	1	4	1	1	2	8	2	30	30	398	120	20	3		
Geneva Circuit.....	8	8	8	8	7	7	2	2	1		1	1					2	5	5	10	10	8	40	12	1		
Hamilton.....	24	10	60	20	5	10	3	13	2	1	98	2	98	3	3	3	10	18	10	10	10	120	20	1	1		
Hartan.....	68	40	52	40	18	29	7	3	12	1	52	2	52	15	15	15	10	18	10	10	10	120	20	1	1		
Hogland.....	40	31	40	30	9	12	7	6	26	2	5	26	2	6	6	6	10	23	22	12	20	30	90	16	5		
Hudson and Ashley.....	400	31	58	49	15	29	12	20	26	5	6	26	5	5	5	5	16	15	15	10	5	36	115	22	3		
Huntstown.....	122	18	184	15	25	40	6	10	9	3	20	3	20	12	12	12	16	15	15	10	5	25	112	18	1		
Lebanon.....	40	44	16	15	11	16	3	5	33	3	41	3	41	6	6	6	10	17	20	12	15	202	112	17	2		
Monroe.....	92	50	51	78	11	16	3	3	33	3	3	33	3	120	9	9	10	17	20	12	15	50	112	17	2		
Monroeville.....	114	50	90	90	37	45	10	19	14	3	3	63	3	120	9	9	10	17	20	12	15	50	112	17	2		
Montpelier.....	4	30	25	10	20	10	7	3	15	3	3	15	3	120	9	9	10	17	20	12	15	50	112	17	2		
New Haven.....	32	58	41	15	36	10	15	9	30	3	3	30	3	29	3	3	1	15	27	16	22	36	120	22	1		
Oakland.....	326	60	50	50	25	16	8	7	21	3	3	21	3	29	3	3	1	15	27	16	22	36	120	22	1		
Ossian.....	69	25	42	27	48	27	23	20	25	4	4	43	4	15	1	1	4	5	8	4	10	65	125	24	5		
Pennville.....	55	25	25	42	27	48	27	23	25	4	4	43	4	15	1	1	4	5	8	4	10	65	125	24	5		
Poneto.....	73	60	78	208	78	10	4	20	83	1	126	3	182	15	8	8	4	13	16	23	55	20	120	18	7		
Portland.....	177	60	15	25	15	3	2	4	37	1	2	1	135	15	2	2	10	5	62	4	2	187	245	38	20		
Portland Circuit.....	20	30	15	25	15	3	2	4	37	1	2	1	135	15	2	2	10	5	62	4	2	187	245	38	20		
Spencerville.....	58	25	47	25	12	23	7	10	20	2	2	2	126	15	2	2	7	15	5	2	5	28	75	12	2		
Woodburn.....	42	42	53	23	40	23	7	10	17	2	2	2	126	15	2	2	7	15	5	2	5	28	75	12	2		
York.....	42	20	35	15	15	6	2	3	25	1	2	25	1	2	2	2	17	8	4	6	12	70	12	2	2		
Total.....	\$4441	\$992	1321	\$3326	\$18	1214	\$708	1266	\$402	\$246	\$445	\$47	\$2955	\$146	\$2972	\$2977	\$273	\$78	\$2	\$402	\$383	\$440	\$611	\$5905	\$5933	\$5137	\$843

GOSHEN DISTRICT.—CONFERENCE TREASURER'S REPORT.

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LOGANSPOUT DISTRICT.—CONFERENCE TREASURER'S REPORT.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	DISCIPLINARY BENEVOLENCES.										OTHER BENEVOLENCES.										OTHER ITEMS.							
	MISSIONS.					BOARD OF BOARD OF					CONF. CLAIMANTS.					Other Benevolences												
	Board of For. Missions.		Bo. of Home Mis. & Ch. Ex.			Education S. Schs.		Children's Fund			Sunday Schools		Board of Conf. Clm'ts. Chicago			Annual Conference Investments.		Methodist Memorial Home				Sustentation		Endowment.				
	Church	Special Gifts.	Sunday Schools	Church	Special Gifts	Church	Public Educational Collection	Children's Fund	Church	Sunday Schools	Board of Conf. Clm'ts. Chicago	Annual Conference Investments.	Church	Temperance Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	American Bible Society	Central Office Expenses Epworth League	Methodist Brotherhood Dues	Taylor University	Sustaining Fund.		Building Fund	Home					
Akron	\$52																											
Alto	35																											
Anuboy	30	21																										
Anoka and Bethel	97	20																										
Arcadia	43	40																										
Atlanta		77																										
Borley	100	120																										
Bunker Hill	22	18																										
Center	25																											
Cheero	35	12																										
Converse	118	30																										
Danver	115	60																										
Dawson	45	32																										
Detroit	25																											
Easton	64	40																										
Frankton	80																											
Galestown		25																										
Gilead		33																										
Greenbush	1023	31																										
Greentown	20	37																										
Hillbuz and Florida	15	10																										
Hobbs and Aroma	58	20																										
Kempton	953	77																										
Kokomo	100	215																										
Main Street	15																											
North Street		10																										
Logansport: Broadway	105	25																										
Market Street	128	105																										
Westland Street	19	85																										
Macy	19	15																										
Mexico	25	12																										
Miami	64	8																										
New Waverly	25																											
Peru	294	58																										
Richland Chapel	50																											
Roan	36	74																										
Russaville	66	18																										
Santa Fe	37	108																										
Sharpville	130	164																										
Sheridan	235	50																										
Tipton	45	105																										
Twelve Mile	45	42																										
Waco	32	10																										
Wesley	25	11																										
Windfall	35	15																										
Total	\$4589	1043	1538	\$2628	\$326	1323	\$626	\$923	\$410	\$221	\$384	\$8	\$870	\$133	\$2450	\$2063	\$215	\$47	\$271	\$847	655	\$340	\$717	\$495	\$3238	\$4708	\$783	\$82

MUNCIE DISTRICT.—CONFERENCE TREASURER'S REPORT.

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	BOARD OF FOR. MISSIONS.		BOARD OF HOME MIS. & CH. EX.		BOARD OF EDUCATION				CONF. CLAIMANTS		Church Temperance Society.	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.	Woman's Home Missionary Society.	American Bible Society.	Central Office Expenses Epworth League.	Methodist Brotherhood Dues.	Taylor University.	Sustaining Fund.	Building Fund.		METH. HOSPITAL	Methodist Memorial Home.	Sustentation.	Endowment.	Other Benevolences.				
	Church.	Special Gifts.	Sunday Schools.	Church.	Public Educational Collection.	Children's Fund.	Church.	Sunday Schools.	Board of Conference Cl'm'ts (Chicago).	Annual Conference Investments.																			
Albany.....	\$41	\$90	\$40	\$119	\$20	\$5	\$46	\$8	\$5	\$22	\$5	\$8	\$47	\$2	\$104	\$2	\$3	\$10	\$10	\$1	\$1	\$1	\$1	\$1	\$1	\$1	\$1	\$1	\$1
Albany Circuit.....	115	30	30	65	30	10	73	10	10	22	25	25	25	4	83	4	3	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Alexandria.....	150	50	50	142	5	3	3	5	3	3	5	5	142	3	94	3	3	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Alexandria Circuit.....	23	17	25	410	45	3	40	5	30	40	2	10	900	1	20	8	3	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Anderson: First.....	500	60	45	410	72	40	30	2	30	40	2	10	602	20	361	20	8	3	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Grace.....	10	11	11	15	15	3	2	2	2	2	2	1	11	1	1	1	1	5	5	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
Indiana Avenue.....	25	15	15	15	12	3	2	2	2	2	2	1	11	1	1	1	1	5	5	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
Noble Street.....	74	16	66	15	10	16	7	7	7	7	7	2	46	2	46	2	2	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Park Place.....	11	15	8	10	3	4	3	2	2	2	2	2	24	2	2	2	2	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Carmel.....	92	20	46	20	11	21	8	8	4	4	2	3	3	2	3	2	7	7	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8
Daleville and Mt. Tabor.....	70	30	10	16	9	5	7	7	7	7	7	1	107	1	107	1	2	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
De Soto.....	40	27	25	27	15	57	10	2	7	7	7	1	25	5	25	5	2	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Eaton.....	105	20	30	95	20	15	3	3	3	3	3	2	7	2	7	2	2	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Fishers.....	22	16	18	15	3	3	5	6	2	2	2	2	39	2	39	2	2	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Forville.....	119	1	18	103	18	21	45	9	12	4	4	4	32	8	32	8	2	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Gaston.....	38	6	30	6	30	3	10	1	1	1	1	1	65	1	65	1	2	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Hardford City.....	196	45	31	170	31	35	66	18	8	19	110	6	163	64	163	64	5	37	64	78	78	78	78	78	78	78	78	78	78
Hardford City Circuit.....	15	15	20	3	3	8	5	2	2	2	2	4	45	1	45	1	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
Ingalis.....	37	5	25	25	2	2	14	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
Jolietville.....	46	8	10	14	20	14	5	4	2	2	2	2	20	2	20	2	2	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Lapel.....	200	20	127	55	12	12	16	6	3	6	5	5	55	6	55	6	6	21	15	11	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Middletown.....	70	5	17	45	15	12	16	6	3	6	5	5	32	4	32	4	4	14	9	11	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5
Middletown Circuit.....	64	17	38	15	8	15	8	4	5	4	5	1	28	1	28	1	2	2	18	9	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8
Muskegon Avenue.....	73	75	90	540	60	60	30	25	20	30	30	16	809	568	809	568	3	15	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Michigan Street.....	30	42	30	42	30	15	31	9	5	10	2	18	18	87	18	87	5	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Normal City.....	17	21	17	16	16	7	11	2	1	1	1	1	14	2	14	2	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
Whiteley.....	30	42	30	42	30	15	31	9	5	10	2	18	18	87	18	87	5	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
New Burlington.....	68	45	24	82	24	48	91	10	7	37	9	127	182	61	182	61	3	25	35	35	35	35	35	35	35	35	35	35	35
Noblesville.....	270	120	64	250	64	64	48	91	10	37	9	127	182	61	182	61	3	25	35	35	35	35	35	35	35	35	35	35	35
Noblesville Circuit.....	45	10	100	10	10	10	12	4	1	3	5	15	31	2	31	2	8	8	13	15	6	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5
Pendleton.....	156	30	30	45	10	10	10	4	6	4	3	3	80	59	80	59	4	4	12	10	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5
Perkinsville.....	35	30	45	10	10	4	6	4	3	3	3	3	52	4	52	4	1	4	12	40	12	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5
Selma.....	172	18	127	18	12	25	10	2	9	4	4	4	59	1	59	1	4	63	19	55	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5
Shilder.....	25	15	25	10	4	6	5	4	3	3	3	3	59	1	59	1	4	63	19	55	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5
Summitville.....	102	15	75	15	10	42	6	3	3	3	3	3	103	4	103	4	4	63	19	55	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5
Summitville Circuit.....	20	20	17	17	7	3	5	2	2	2	2	1	21	1	21	1	1	63	19	55	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5
Westfield.....	34	7	14	14	7	3	5	2	2	2	2	1	21	1	21	1	1	63	19	55	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5
Yorktown.....	59	26	53	26	9	22	6	6	6	6	6	2	95	3	95	3	3	25	25	25	25	25	25	25	25	25	25	25	25
Total.....	\$3957	\$446	\$860	\$3147	\$20	\$717	\$415	\$848	\$264	\$190	\$275	\$57	\$2405	\$114	\$3100	\$1542	\$146	\$57	\$3	\$360	\$386	\$980	\$225	\$346	\$7080	\$11777	\$4515	\$753	\$390

RICHMOND DISTRICT.—CONFERENCE TREASURER'S REPORT.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	MISSIONS.				DISCIPLINARY BENEVOLENCES.										OTHER BENEVOLENCES.										OTHER ITEMS.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																											
	Board of For. Missions.		Board of Home Miss. & Ch. Ex.		Board of Education, S. Sch'ls.					Conf. Claimants		Church Temperance Society.			Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.			Woman's Home Missionary Society.			American Bible Society.			Central Office Expenses, Epworth League.			Methodist Brotherhood Dues.			Taylor University.			Meth. Hospital.		Methodist Memorial Home.		Sustentation.		Endowment.		Other Benevolences.		Support of Bishops (Episcopal Fund).		General Conference Expenses.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																							
	Church.	Special Gifts.	Sunday Schools.	Church.	Public Educational Collection.	Children's Fund.	Church.	Sunday Schools.	Board of Conference Cl'm'ts (Chicago).	Annual Conference Investments.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.		1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.	3.	2.	1.

WABASH DISTRICT.—CONFERENCE TREASURER'S REPORT.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	DISCIPLINARY BENEVOLENCES.										OTHER BENEVOLENCES.				OTHER ITEMS.														
	MISSIONS.			BOARD OF EDUCATION & SCHOOLS.			CONF. CLAIMANTS.		Church Temperance Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	Woman's Home Missionary Society	American Bible Society	Central Office Epworth League	Methodist Brotherhood Dues		Methodist Memorial Home	Sustentation	Endowment	Other Benevolences										
	Board of For. Miss'ns.	Bo'rd of Home Miss. & Ch. Ex.	Church	Children's Fund	Public Educational Collection	Church	Sunday Schools	Board of Conference Cl'm'ts (Chicago)												Annual Conference Investments									
Andrews	\$25	\$20	\$20	\$20	\$10	\$5	\$1	\$7		\$15	\$3	\$6	\$68	\$3	\$1		\$10		\$26	\$84	\$15	\$2							
Bippus	20	10	19	10	2	4	3	3		10	1	1		1			5		4	61	10	\$5							
Burket	64	100	53	19	23	5	10	10		16	2	41		5			2	\$44	8	60	10	32							
Churubusco	15	10	15	5	2	1	1	9		13	3						1		32	4	12	8							
Columbus Circuit	108	22	78	22	18	8	9	46		46	3	43		1			18	65	137	23	9	5							
Farmount	24	20	20	2	9	3	4	77		77	1	113	135	5	2		7	45	39	137	19	5							
Gas City	25	20	20	2	6	6	13	48		48	3	7	28	3			7	118	117	17	19	5							
Huntington: First Church	336	30	338	67	50	35	20	\$10		64	10	246	407	20	9		25	3	47	320	532	10							
Huntington Circuit	89	30	46	57	18	34	7	6		17	3	20	20	7			12	320	335	53	7								
Jonesboro	35	15	20	8	25	7	8	9		34	2	78	80	5			6	13	84	13	9	9							
La Fontaine	115	12	93	12	19	25	7	16		18	4	3					15	15	106	18	9	9							
Lacro and Asbury	129	20	105	20	22	41	9	10		43	4	3		3			24	24	99	16									
Laurel	89	37	72	37	15	12	3	7		34	2			3			5	10	90	16	5	5							
Liberty Mills																			24	5									
Marion: First Church	430	85	310	115	50	32	38	25		166	15	647	553	30	5		5	288	316	32	30	30							
Grace	58	68	42	67	19	36	7	10		32	4	174		5	2		12	25	115	18	5	5							
Highland Avenue	46	12	20	10	5	4	5	16		6	2	52	5	5			10	10	10	12	5								
Home Park	12	32	12	25	5	2	1	3		1		1		1			1	1	26	6									
Ninth Street	11	111	96	98	33	68	13	7		40	6	240		2			3	9	78	12									
Markle	50	25	40	25	12	3	5	8		55	2	11		3			22	37	158	26									
Mentone	30	20	20	2	5	5	5	5		26	2	9	37	2			12	30	179	20	2	2							
Mount Eira	45	21	43	24	6	3	9	9		69	2	203	72	4	1		3	135	33	127	92								
North Manchester	32	50	58	12	23	3	6	5		18	3	3		4			4	30	78	13	6								
Point Isabel	50	24	40	24	18	10	10	7		3	3	15	47	7			10	38	97	16	3								
Ranoke	30	20	30	20	5	6	5	2		62	4	85					10	20	39	12	6								
Silver Lake	3		3									12					3	5	79	12									
Sims	42	40	34	21	10	13	5	1		2	2	1							55	11	2								
South Whitley	43	14	34	13	6	11	7	11		26	2	1	88	3	1		10	64	80	13	2								
Swayze	15	14	14	13	2	4	2	3		23	1	135		2			7	10	90	15	4								
Switzer	10	60	5	16	3	2	4	1		2	2	57		1			4	7	78	12	4								
Uniondale	79	62	25	13	25	10	7	2		54	5	56		4			28	35	108	18	5								
Upland	70	27	70	13	17	6	6	9		46	2			5			6	5	670	23	21								
Van Buren	328	40	290	60	25	14	11	24		22	2	175	253	5	6		10	130	123	21	3								
Wabash: First Church	60	30	70	20	25	7	5	4		46	2			4			25	117	258	43	15								
Wabash, Middle Street	30	20	20	20	19	25	7	5		22	2	90		5			10	150	102	17									
Wabash Street	109	52	88	20	21	9	8	4		50	1	131		1	4		16	16	124	21	15								
Warren	54	33	40	33	7	18	3	15		60	4	110		9			11	20	118	20									
Warren Circuit										75	1	27		2			5	7	89	15	7								
Total	\$2843	\$598	1079	\$2318	\$9	1063	\$457	\$868	\$287	\$145	\$357	\$52	\$1215	\$106	\$2809	\$1796	\$182	\$41	\$2	\$668	\$376	\$811	\$200	\$540	\$1384	\$1232	\$4020	\$684	\$194

RECAPITULATION.—CONFERENCE TREASURER'S REPORT.

NAMES OF DISTRICTS.	DISCIPLINARY BENEVOLENCES.										OTHER BENEVOLENCES.										OTHER ITEMS.								
	MISSIONS.					BOARD OF BOARD OF					CONF.		METH.					Taylor University											
	BOARD OF FOR. MISSIONS.		BOARD OF HOME MIS. & CH. EX.		Church	Public Educational Collection	Children's Fund	Church	Sunday Schools	Board of Conference C'ym'ts (Chicago)	Annual Conference Investments.	Church Temperance Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	Woman's Home Missionary Society	American Bible Society	Central Office Expenses Epworth League	Methodist Brotherhood Dues												
Church	Special Gifts	Sunday Schools	Special Gifts	Church														Sustaining Fund..	Building Fund ...	Methodist Memorial Home	Sustentation	Endowment	Other Benevolences						
Ft. Wayne	\$4491	\$692	1321	\$3326	\$18	1214	\$708	1266	\$402	\$246	\$445	\$47	\$3285	\$146	\$2672	\$2377	\$273	\$78	\$2	\$402	\$642	\$383	\$449	\$611	\$3993	\$5137	\$843	\$80	
Goshen	6255	383	1026	4313	50	958	827	1465	406	383	316	5	1854	165	3456	3480	300	54	8	373	630	166	374	758	2157	6052	5151	820	170
Logansport	4580	1043	1538	2628	326	1223	626	923	410	221	384	8	870	133	2450	2063	215	47	3	271	847	1525	340	717	495	3238	4768	783	82
Muncie	3967	446	860	3147	20	717	415	548	264	190	275	57	2405	114	3160	1542	146	57	3	360	386	980	225	446	7080	11777	4515	753	360
Richmond	2910	899	849	2497	10	793	370	677	241	113	240	6	644	84	2647	1469	149	33	2	212	3423	770	153	312	1521	1759	3132	615	259
Wabash	2843	508	1079	2318	9	1065	457	858	287	145	357	52	1215	106	2809	1796	182	341	2	668	376	811	200	540	1384	4232	4020	684	164
Grand Total	\$24905	4271	6673	\$18229	\$433	6070	3403	6037	2010	1298	2017	\$175	\$10273	\$748	\$17194	\$12727	1265	\$310	.....	2286	6304	4635	1741	3284	\$18632	\$32991	\$26723	4498	1115
Last Year	22806	3603	6491	17431	134	5997	3224	7024	1992	1154	1826	129	8027	732	14377	14537	1162	289	.....	3171	5023	2666	2618	33045	25649	16953	4270	1120	
Increase	\$2189	\$668	\$182	\$798	\$299	\$73	\$179	.....	\$18	\$144	\$191	\$46	\$2246	\$16	\$2817	.....	\$103	\$21	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$7342	\$9870	\$228	.....
Decrease .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$5

CIRCUIT SALARY STATEMENT.

APPOINTMENTS.	Members...	Apportionment.....	Paid.....	APPOINTMENTS.	Members...	Apportionment.....	Paid.....
Ft. Wayne District.				Hoagland.....	91	\$225	\$225
Bluffton Circuit—				Poe.....	130	450	450
Bethel.....	28	\$255	\$255	Sheldon.....	39	125	125
Prairie.....	60	245	245	Hudson-Ashley—			
Epworth.....	34	255	77	Hudson.....	160	500	500
Kingsland.....	40	175	175	Ashley.....	111	400	400
Sustentation.....			100	Salem.....	36	100	100
Bobo.....	94	293	293	Huntertown.....	267	460	460
Pleasant Mills.....	151	323	323	Cedar Chapel.....	250	250	250
Salem.....	149	396	396	Swan.....	291	282	282
Clark's Chapel.....	46	147	147	Wallen.....	167	207	207
Coesse.....		238	238	Leo.....	67	275	300
Arcola.....		228	228	Cedarville.....	47	250	225
Jefferson Chapel.....		250	253	Robinson Chapel...	115	368	368
Lake Chapel.....		240	240	Mt. Olivet.....	41	200	200
Decatur Circuit—				Monroeville.....	185	670	670
Washington.....	40	124	124	Woodland.....	43	165	165
Pleasant Valley.....	70	189	189	Pleasant Grove.....	45	165	165
Beulah Chapel.....	80	214	214	Orland.....	144	413	413
Mt. Pleasant.....	94	239	239	Nevada Mills.....	124	413	413
Ft. Wayne Circuit—				Flint.....	111	375	375
St. Joe Chapel.....	35	140	140	Ossian.....		750	750
Friendship.....	72	180	180	Prospect.....		450	450
Taylor Chapel.....	70	145	145	Emmaus.....		300	300
Union Chapel.....	53	200	200	Poneto.....	111	416	416
Oak Grove.....	13	60	60	Reifsborg.....	94	369	369
Fremont.....	202	975	975	Airline.....	111	436	436
Ray.....	81	225	225	Portland Circuit—			
Fiat—				Union.....	65	245	245
Union Chapel.....	45	145	140	Pleasant Ridge.....	59	230	230
Oakland.....	44	145	90	Oak Grove.....	110	450	450
Sugar Grove.....	43	110	55	New Mt. Pleasant..	39	162	162
Blackford.....	18	100	90	Spencerville.....	158	450	450
Sustentation.....			125	Wesley Chapel.....	45	160	160
Geneva Circuit—				Meese Chapel.....	31	100	100
Ceylon.....	24	75	75	Grove Bethel.....	16	35	35
New Corydon.....	45	200	146	Sustentation.....			155
Hartford.....	37	200	140	Woodburn.....	174	310	310
Blue Creek.....	66	175	175	People's Chapel.....	70	190	190
Mt. Hope.....	36	100	100	Devaux Chapel.....	28	125	125
Sustentation.....			180	Edgerton.....	30	125	125
Hamilton.....	255	600	600	York.....	79	340	340
Alvarado.....	73	400	400	Powers Chapel.....	48	100	100
Harlan.....	143	585	585	Jones Chapel.....	76	290	290
Scipio.....	113	315	315				
Black Creek.....	12		70				

APPOINTMENTS.	Members...	Apportionment.....	Paid.....	APPOINTMENTS.	Members...	Apportionment.....	Paid.....
Goshen District.				Roy's Chapel.....	33	\$220	\$220
Avilla.....	139	\$600	\$600	Lake View.....	60	125	125
Summit.....	66	400	400	Warsaw Circuit—			
Benton.....	70	375	375	Pleasant Grove.....	78	343	343
Richville.....	92	578	578	Pleasant Valley.....	41	238	238
Clunette.....	36	350	350	Holbrook.....	30	238	238
Pleasant View.....	36	180	180	Waterloo.....	105	388	388
Monoquet.....	34	170	170	Barker's Chapel....	81	237	237
Corunna.....	68	342	342	Norris Chapel.....	35	125	125
Wayne Center.....	49	341	341	Memorial Chapel...	25	250	167
Custer.....	46	233	233	Wawaka.....	60	300	300
Elkhart Circuit—				Brimfield.....	64	300	300
Willow Creek.....	63	350	350	Wolcottville and Rome			
Pleasant Valley.....	40	200	200	City—			
California.....	21	100	100	Wolcottville.....	153	500	500
Osolo Chapel.....	17	100	100	Rome City.....	107	600	600
Etna Green.....	139	600	600				
Atwood.....	93	500	500	Logansport District.			
Fribley.....	54	200	200	Amboy.....	132	600	600
Goshen Circuit—				Bethel.....	33	200	200
Bashor Chapel.....	33	350	350	Anoka.....	122	490	490
Pleasant Ridge.....	51	175	175	Bethel.....	127	490	490
Waterford.....	19	100	100	Boxley.....	85	285	285
Lake School.....	25	100	100	Salem.....	117	489	489
Howe.....	92	281	281	Ekin.....	49	202	202
Scott.....	90	281	281	Center.....	61	248	248
Pretty Prairie.....	72	281	281	Nevada.....	112	378	378
Ontario.....	55	128	128	Pleasant Grove.....	41	124	124
Mongo.....	21	229	229	Denver.....	219	500	500
Inwood.....	296	600	600	Chili.....	180	300	300
Bethel.....	164	600	600	Ebenezer.....	144	200	200
Kimmel.....	72	300	300	Forest.....	117	482	482
Cromwell.....	100	300	300	St. Paul.....	56	300	300
Wolf Lake.....	54	300	300	Scircleville.....	57	300	300
Middlebury.....	180	729	729	Gilead.....	108	320	320
Shipshewana.....	160	571	571	Pleasant Hill.....	69	173	173
New Paris.....	165	550	550	Disko.....	44	265	265
Milford.....	80	450	450	Goldsmith.....	90	444	444
North Webster.....	165	450	450	Hopewell.....	147	526	526
Morris Chapel.....	160	550	550	Wesley Chapel.....	45	224	224
Oscola.....	134	522	522	Hillisburg.....	80	464	464
Tamarack.....	92	465	465	Florida.....	110	400	400
Jamestown.....	74	295	295	Honey Creek.....	21	100	100
South Milford.....	90	345	345	Hobbs and Aroma—			
East Springfield...	47	265	265	Hobbs.....	110	414	414
Plato.....	64	210	210	Aroma.....	169	450	450
Brushy Chapel.....	35	180	180	Kempton.....	97	374	374
Tippecanoe.....	59	464	464	Shilo.....	94	299	299
Summit Chapel.....	51	464	464	Groomsville.....	42	160	160
Talma.....	101	290	290	Spencer Chapel.....	23	160	73
Valentine.....	130	432	432				
Beulah.....	77	300	257				

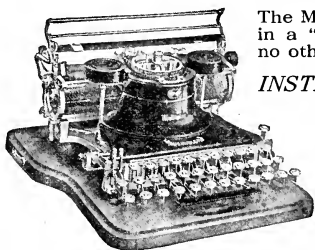
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Kokomo, North St.—				Fishers.....	95	\$367	\$367
Beamer Chapel.....	154	\$369	\$369	New Briton.....	41	161	149
Cassville.....	76	369	369	Zion.....	50	195	178
Macy.....	299	647	647	Hartford City Ct.—			
Green Oak.....	65	253	253	Grant Street.....	66	200	87
Mexico.....	70	310	320	Pleasant Grove.....	84	275	275
Perrysburg.....	91	264	264	Roll.....	64	450	352
Skillman.....	44	264	225	Asbury.....	15	150	82
New Zion.....	37	212	185	Ingalls.....	44	139	139
Miami.....	154	475	475	Harmony.....	50	153	153
Bennetts.....	54	375	375	Mendon.....	62	139	139
New Waverly.....	114	370	370	Salem.....	24	119	66
Hoover.....	28	90	82	Fall Creek.....	23	50	31
Onward.....	152	502	502	Jolietville.....	83	280	280
Nead.....	31	112	112	Hortonville.....	64	264	249
Roann.....	186	580	580	Eagletown.....	19	88	88
Paw Paw.....	63	344	344	Big Springs.....	57	168	167
Ijamsville.....	66	160	160	Matthews—			
Russiaville.....	150	620	620	Epworth.....	190	600	600
Shiloh.....	85	566	566	Wheeling.....	65	245	245
Santa Fe.....	160	531	478	Olive Branch.....	21	115	115
McGrawsville.....	100	281	225	New Burlington.....	125	446	446
Somerset.....	93	171	171	Blountsville.....	66	350	350
Pearia.....	38	.....	.....	Mt. Zion.....	58	200	200
Walton.....	145	350	350	New Bethel.....	58	202	202
Lincoln.....	90	288	288	Noblesville Circuit—			
Salem.....	72	362	362	Ninth Street.....	111	259	259
West Middleton.....	109	400	400	Bethel.....	98	250	250
Twin Springs.....	38	250	250	Union.....	56	241	241
Cloverdale.....	75	180	180	Sustentation.....	.....	.....	50
Muncie District.				Perkinsville.....	81	287	287
Albany Circuit—				Harvey's Chapel.....	181	217	217
Fairview.....	124	307	307	Beall's Chapel.....	80	287	287
Sugar Grove.....	107	310	310	Strawtown.....	41	116	116
Bethel.....	58	253	253	Epworth.....	14	140	140
Delaware.....	85	200	200	Selma.....	193	810	810
Alexandria Circuit—				Mount Pleasant.....	138	588	588
Joyce Chapel.....	69	152	152	Shidler.....	90	285	266
Epworth.....	61	173	173	Mt. Carmel.....	81	220	220
Wesley Chapel.....	47	151	151	Pleasant Valley.....	42	155	144
Beech Grove.....	47	116	116	Grace.....	59	155	155
Gilman.....	16	116	91	Zion.....	2	22	22
Carmel.....	110	369	369	Summitville Circuit—			
Pleasant Grove.....	118	369	381	Zion.....	55	150	155
White Chapel.....	91	347	369	Union.....	36	75	75
Daleville.....	110	300	300	Richmond District.			
Mt. Tabor.....	38	200	205	Centerville.....	126	450	450
De Soto—				Greensfork.....	65	275	275
Union.....	147	500	500	Charlottesville.....	184	375	375
Pleasant Grove.....	80	282	282	Cleveland.....	145	375	375
Salem.....	83	265	265	Ada New.....	62	100	100

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Farmland.....	178	\$590	\$590	Williamsburg.....	90	\$450	\$450
Rehobeth.....	72	240	240	Chester.....	148	500	500
Maxville.....	93	170	170	Webster.....	65	150	150
Fountain City.....	82	408	408	Winchester Circuit—			
Hopewell.....	81	280	280	Bartonia.....	67	235	178
Whitewater.....	84	258	258	Bethel.....	42	213	213
Hagerstown.....	690	690	690	Durfield.....	60	265	265
Losantville.....	265	265	265	Mt. Zion.....	75	265	265
Franklin.....	115	115	115				
Kennard.....	46	175	175				
Sugar Grove.....	75	400	400	Wabash District.			
Greensboro.....	47	95	95	Bippus.....	42	210	210
Cadiz.....	75	125	125	Hopewell.....	49	210	210
Lewisville.....	184	500	500	Salem.....	59	280	280
Dublin.....	150	456	456	Burkett.....	96	420	343
Straughn.....	49	204	204	Cook's Chapel.....	58	280	280
Lynn.....	91	620	620	Palestine.....	64	225	137
Spartansburg.....	64	425	425	Churubusco Circuit—			
Markleville.....	43	190	190	Blue River.....	100	350	350
Mechanicsburg.....	45	240	240	Wesley Chapel.....	89	300	200
Zion.....	65	240	240	Charter.....	60	225	191
Ovid.....	43	80	80	Huntington Circuit—			
Maxwell.....	55	150	150	Pilcher's Chapel....	89	408	320
Mt. Comfort.....	87	275	275	Greenwood.....	84	398	216
Curry.....	130	205	205	Barnes Chapel.....	62	271	250
Eden.....	128	220	220	Clear Creek.....	58	272	272
Mill Grove.....	109	329	329	La Fontaine.....	198	770	770
Kingsley.....	96	254	255	Jalapa.....	119	330	330
Union Chapel.....	48	132	132	Lagro.....	190	720	720
Trenton.....	32	112	112	Asbury.....	73	280	280
Modoc.....	100	290	290	Marion!			
Huntsville.....	119	375	324	Highland Ave.....	151	450	450
Union.....	51	116	94	Fletcher.....	25	152	148
Grace Chapel.....	27	69	47	Morris Chapel.....	66	220	200
Parker.....	181	690	690	Larwill.....			
Windsor.....	70	220	220	Troy.....			
Locust Grove.....	26	181	181	Oak Grove.....			
Philadelphia.....	88	400	400	Etna.....			
Sugar Creek.....	43	216	216	Liberty Mills.....	50	160	160
Gem.....	13	215	221	Bethel.....	25	100	80
Richmond, Third Ch..	158	558	558	Concord.....	52	100	70
Middleboro.....	68	307	307	Mt. Etna.....	73	300	300
Salamonia.....	113	410	439	Pleasant Plain.....	71	210	210
Antioch.....	93	219	248	Mt. Hope.....	26	150	150
Zoar.....	38	132	74	Lincolnville.....	60	210	210
Shirley.....	58	250	250	Point Isabel.....	100	425	425
Wilkinson.....	91	250	250	Rigdon.....	105	375	375
Willow Branch.....	75	250	250	Silver Lake.....	74	263	176
Maple Valley.....	20	100	42	Claypool.....	86	263	263
Spiceland.....	149	473	473	Mt. Pleasant.....	80	283	246
Ogden.....	86	327	248	South Pleasant.....	35	125	77
				Center Grove.....	5	50	50

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Roanoke.....	170	\$668	\$668	Van Buren—			
Monson Chapel....	104	393	393	Otterbein.....	47	\$200	\$200
Wesley Chapel....	32	118	118	Van Buren.....	162	800	800
Sims.....	105	300	300	Warren Circuit—			
West Liberty.....	54	300	300	Lancaster.....	44	182	182
Jerome.....	31	100	100	Majenica.....	103	337	337
Uniondale.....	220	500	500	Plumtree.....	51	165	165
Rochford.....	111	500	500	Salem.....	81	274	274

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